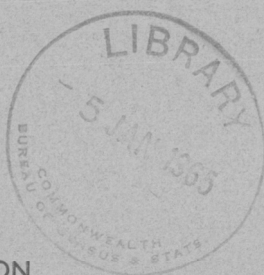


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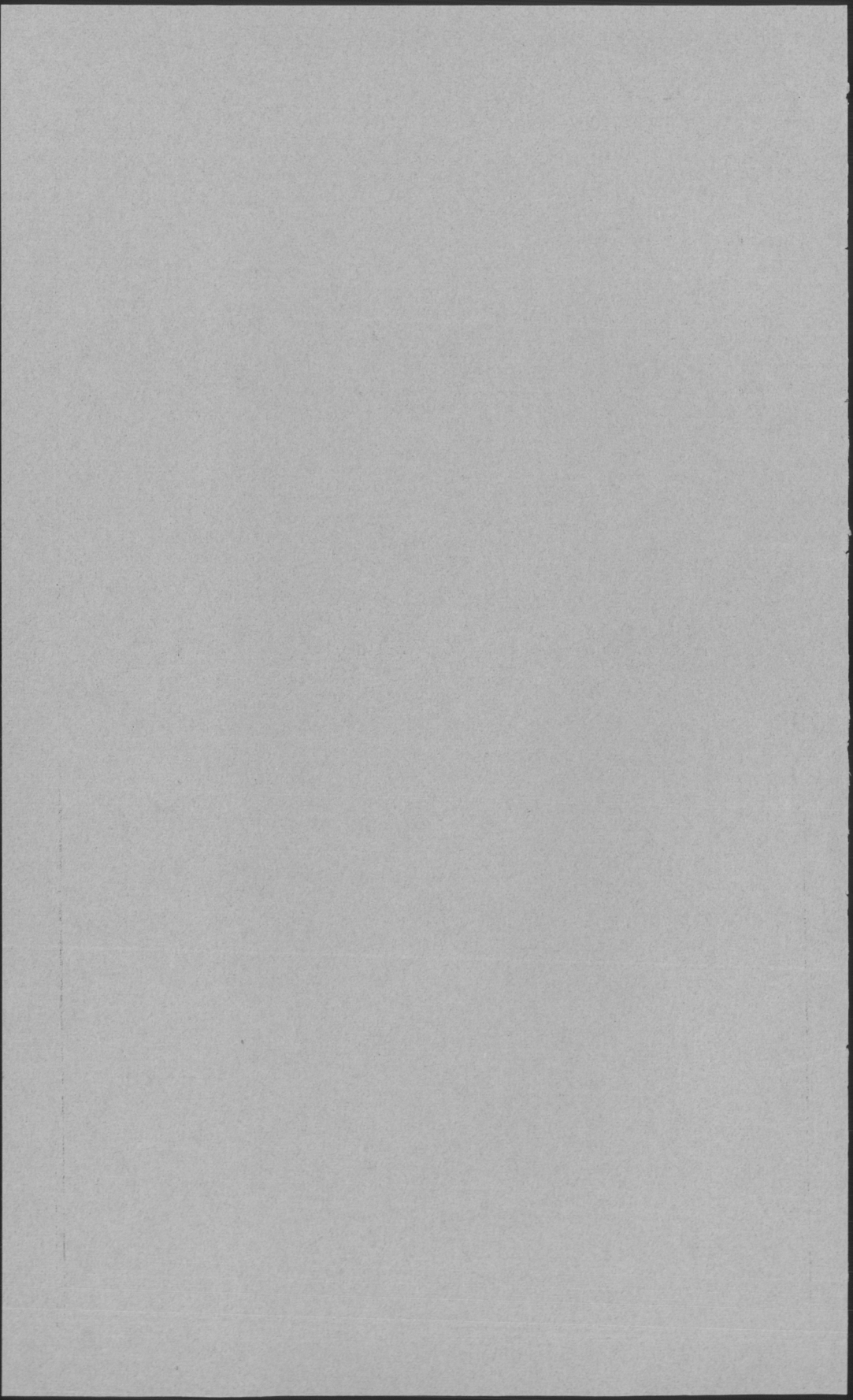
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Table No.:-	2			5	14	15
Period	Wages and Salary Earners in Civilian Employment (excluding rural workers, workers in private domestic service, and defence forces)*			Average Weekly Earnings per Employed Male Unit*	Wool Sold at Auction*	Average Price of Wool Clip*
	Males	Females	Persons			
	Number at end of period—thousands			£	£ thousand	d. per lb.
Year: 1957-58	826.3	312.5	1,138.8	20.48	107,693	62.8
1958-59	836.2	321.2	1,157.4	21.14	100,990	48.3
1959-60	870.6	342.7	1,213.3	22.83	123,039	57.4
1960-61	876.5	343.6	1,220.1	24.06	102,095	51.9
1961-62	894.2	359.0	1,253.2	24.55	106,815	54.6
1962-63	914.5	369.7	1,284.2	25.08	115,192	59.5
1963-64	950.0	389.8	1,339.8	26.29	142,492	70.3
1963: Jan.	905.9	366.8	1,272.7	23.86	10,117	63.0
Feb.	910.8	368.2	1,279.0		14,382	62.0
Mar.	913.9	368.4	1,282.3		11,515	63.0
Apr.	914.6	369.9	1,284.5	25.74	3,355	63.0
May	915.4	369.9	1,285.3		11,556	63.0
June	914.5	369.7	1,284.2		4,630	65.0
July	914.7	371.2	1,285.9	25.33	6,754	64.0
Aug.	917.9	372.2	1,290.1		5,335	62.0
Sept.	920.3	374.2	1,294.5		11,704	63.0
Oct.	925.8	378.6	1,304.4	27.71	21,203	66.0
Nov.	930.5	383.2	1,313.7		18,416	72.0
Dec.	932.4	383.3	1,315.7		14,246	71.0
1964: Jan.	935.3	380.8	1,316.1	25.01	13,125	72.0
Feb.	940.7	382.8	1,323.5		18,327	73.0
Mar.	944.5	386.2	1,330.7		11,535	73.0
Apr.	946.6	387.2	1,333.8	27.09	5,620	68.0
May	947.6	388.6	1,336.2		10,766	62.0
June	950.0	389.8	1,339.8		5,461	63.0
July	951.3	392.1	1,343.4	n.y.a.	5,492	63.0
Aug.	952.3	393.7	1,346.0		4,947	63.0
Sept.	955.2	397.0	1,352.2		13,709	62.0p
Oct.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.		15,753	61.0p

Table No.:—	36	39	41	46		48
Period	New Cars, Taxis, Station Waggon, and Trucks, etc. Registered†	Retail Sales*	Instalment Credit for Retail Sales: Balances Outstanding*	Major Trading Banks*		Savings Bank Deposits
				Deposits	Loans, Advances, etc.	
	Number	£ million	At end of period — £ million			
Year: 1957-58	84,386	1,094.4	n.a.	593.0	392.1	449.0
1958-59	92,405	1,143.2	196.1	611.7	381.5	488.3
1959-60	111,146	1,278.2	229.3	668.9	415.8	541.6
1960-61	108,876	1,328.8	238.3	664.1	420.7	569.2
1961-62	104,793	1,341.7	238.4	701.5	421.5	625.0
1962-63	128,773	1,436.1	254.8	749.0	453.5	704.0
1963-64	145,019	1,489.9	n.y.a.	853.2	491.2	791.6
1963: Jan.	9,499	340.5	250.8	752.8	423.1	668.5
Feb.	10,019			760.4	418.5	674.3
Mar.	11,152			766.1	422.9	675.5
Apr.	10,398	356.1	254.8	759.9	439.3	678.5
May	11,768			749.4	440.5	687.8
June	9,833			749.0	453.5	704.0
July	13,010	361.9	258.2	755.1	453.8	713.4
Aug.	12,576			755.1	448.7	719.5
Sept.	12,609			765.2	440.2	725.5
Oct.	12,741	406.8	273.3	786.0	446.4	737.7
Nov.	12,735			805.7	450.9	743.0
Dec.	11,536			825.9	450.5	748.9
1964: Jan.	9,029	347.2	271.3	843.3	440.3	755.5
Feb.	10,935			852.1	441.3	761.6
Mar.	11,658			865.8	454.4	764.1
Apr.	13,441	374.0	n.y.a.	868.2	466.9	768.7
May	12,492			850.5	478.8	774.7
June	12,257			853.2	491.2	791.6
July	14,325	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	860.9	498.9	800.3
Aug.	13,476			864.2	485.8	807.5
Sept.	12,676			879.5	485.3	815.2
Oct.	13,501p			n.y.a.	n.y.a.	821.9

* See notes to relevant table.

† Excludes omnibuses and tourist vehicles.

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25	25	25	32		34	Table No.
Coal Production	Electricity Generated	Steel Ingots Production	New Houses and Flats : Private and Government		Government Railways	Period
			Approved	Completed	Goods Carried (excluding livestock)	
			Number of Dwelling Units		Thousand tons	
Thousand tons	Mill. kWh	Thousand tons				
15,762	7,595	3,026†	30,061	26,445	17,802	1957-58 :Year
15,824	8,275	3,190†	35,143	30,030	18,979	1958-59
16,536	9,200	3,503†	41,811	33,408	21,460	1959-60
18,237	9,999	3,724†	36,701	36,397	23,588	1960-61
19,083	10,683	4,055†	32,640	32,349	23,538	1961-62
18,725	12,188	4,238†	34,700	31,344	23,164	1962-63
20,292	13,781	4,789	43,484	33,730	25,335	1963-64
1,017	894	358	2,355	7,488	1,839	Jan. :1963
1,536	885	329	2,734		1,898	Feb.
1,564	993	360	2,720		1,853	Mar.
1,133	963	366	3,059	7,753	1,806	Apr.
1,721	1,114	376	3,400		2,048	May
1,584	1,151	350	3,112		1,973	June
1,976	1,288	398	3,108	7,758	2,228	July
1,711	1,240	423	3,607		1,975	Aug.
1,594	1,082	395	3,995		2,069	Sept.
1,912	1,075	383	3,464	8,581	2,180	Oct.
1,851	1,050	399	3,884		2,200	Nov.
1,342	1,003	406	2,962		2,171	Dec.
1,106	967	404	3,229	8,433	1,865	Jan. :1964
1,818	1,055	394	3,230		2,043	Feb.
1,628	1,168	411	3,628		2,087	Mar.
1,678	1,187	363	4,256	8,958r	2,186	Apr.
1,823	1,300	395	3,886		2,128	May
1,853	1,366	418	4,235		2,202	June
2,065	1,446	436	4,371	9,382p	2,406	July
1,764	1,370	447	4,354		2,228	Aug.
1,642	1,222	444	4,304		2,161	Sept.
1,911	1,194	412	3,784		n.y.a.	Oct.

47	50	51	56	57	60	Table No.
Trading Banks : Debits to Customers' Accounts*	Share Prices, Sydney Stock Exchange	Real Estate Transfers and Conveyances	Export Prices (Aust.) Index*	Wholesale Prices (Aust.) Index*	Basic Wage, Sydney (State Awards)	Period
					Adult Males*	
					s. per week	
Weekly Average —£ million	Index*	£ million	Base : 1959-60 = 100	Base : Av. 3 yrs. ended 1938-39 = 100		
230	332.5	266.5	102	339	269¶	1957-58 :Year
249	356.0	281.4	90	336	275¶	1958-59
296	492.2	364.8	100	348	283¶	1959-60
323	504.7	410.3	95	360	297¶	1960-61
327	534.0	345.6	96	336	300¶	1961-62
357	541.1	393.8	101	340	301¶	1962-63
412	589.2	493.0	114p	346	303¶	1963-64
336	549.5	28.2	104	340	300	Jan. :1963
364	553.3	30.7	104	339	301	Feb.
360	543.2	35.1	105	339	301	Mar.
372	541.7	33.8	105	338	301	Apr.
356	544.0	37.9	105	340	302	May
381	546.8	31.3	109	346	302	June
410	562.0	43.8	109	349	302	July
351	583.1	38.7	107	348	303	Aug.
389	583.5	37.7	108	348	303	Sept.
408	574.5	42.8	111	345	303	Oct.
430	574.0	41.8	118	342	303	Nov.
458	589.3	38.3	117p	339	303	Dec.
380	603.5	35.6	119p	340	303	Jan. :1964
440	608.0	39.5	120p	343	303	Feb.
425	602.6	38.8	120p	347	303	Mar.
413	592.2	48.0	115p	349	303	Apr.
420	594.3	43.6	110p	352	305	May
436	603.6	44.5	110p	353	315	June
467	611.7	49.8	110p	356	315	July
425	609.2	41.3	110p	357	315	Aug.
454	600.0	45.3	109p	356	315	Sept.
455	586.0	44.6	108p	353p	315	Oct.

† Year ended 31st May.

¶ Operative from February.

2. Wage and Salary Earners in Civilian Employment in N.S.W.: Government and Private

(Excluding employees in rural industry, employees in private domestic service, and Defence Forces)

Notes:—

- The current series of employment statistics is based on benchmark data derived from the 1954 and 1961 censuses of population. For periods between and since the censuses, the estimates are derived from:—
 - monthly returns supplied by employers for purposes of Commonwealth pay-roll taxation;
 - monthly returns from governmental authorities;
 - some other direct records of monthly employment (e.g. hospitals); and
 - estimates of changes in the number of employees outside the scope of the previous sources.

The figures for current months are subject to revision in the light of annual factory censuses, periodical surveys of retail establishments, and other collections.

- Employees in rural industry and in private domestic service, and members of the full-time defence forces at home or abroad, are excluded from the scope of the series.
- The series is designed to measure the *current monthly trends* in the defined fields. The estimates are compiled on an establishment or enterprise basis, and the benchmark data (which have been derived from industry tabulations compiled on the occasion of the population censuses from schedules provided by individuals) have been adjusted as nearly as possible to this basis.

Month	Governmental Authorities*			Private Employment			Total Employment		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Thousands									
1955: June	222.1	43.8	265.9	574.5	244.4	818.9	796.6	288.2	1,084.8
1956: June	223.7	45.8	269.5	588.2	252.5	840.7	811.9	298.3	1,110.2
1957: June	223.9	47.0	270.9	599.6	260.2	859.8	823.5	307.2	1,130.7
1958: June	228.0	47.8	275.8	598.4	264.7	863.1	826.4	312.5	1,138.9
1959: June	231.2	50.5	281.7	605.0	270.7	875.7	836.2	321.2	1,157.4
1960: June	232.0	52.3	284.3	638.6	290.4	929.0	870.6	342.7	1,213.3
1961: June	239.2	55.4	294.6	637.3	288.2	925.5	876.5	343.6	1,220.1
1961: July	240.3	56.0	296.3	632.9	287.1	920.0	873.2	343.1	1,216.3
Aug.	240.9	56.0	296.9	631.8	287.8	919.6	872.7	343.8	1,216.5
Sept.	240.4	55.8	296.2	635.0	290.3	925.3	875.4	346.1	1,221.5
Oct.	240.3	55.9	296.2	637.7	294.4	932.1	878.0	350.3	1,228.3
Nov.	241.6	56.0	297.6	640.6	299.5	940.1	882.2	355.5	1,237.7
Dec.	241.7	56.0	297.7	641.1	300.3	941.4	882.8	356.3	1,239.1
1962: Jan.	242.8	56.5	299.3	641.6	296.1	937.7	884.4	352.6	1,237.0
Feb.	245.1	56.7	301.8	645.0	297.2	942.2	890.1	353.9	1,244.0
Mar.	246.2	56.5	302.7	646.7	300.7	947.4	892.9	357.2	1,250.1
Apr.	247.0	57.3	304.3	644.1	300.1	944.2	891.1	357.4	1,248.5
May	246.6	57.3	303.9	647.3	301.6	948.9	893.9	358.9	1,252.8
June	246.6	57.3	303.9	647.6	301.7	949.3	894.2	359.0	1,253.2
July	245.5	57.3	302.8	647.8	301.6	949.4	893.3	358.9	1,252.2
Aug.	244.2	57.3	301.5	649.5	302.7	952.2	893.7	360.0	1,253.7
Sept.	243.5	57.1	300.6	653.2	305.4	958.6	896.7	362.5	1,259.2
Oct.	242.8	57.2	300.0	655.9	308.1	964.0	898.7	365.3	1,264.0
Nov.	243.6	57.2	300.8	660.9	312.4	973.3	904.5	369.6	1,274.1
Dec.	243.4	57.2	300.6	660.0	311.7	971.7	903.4	368.9	1,272.3
1963: Jan.	244.6	58.4	303.0	661.0	308.3	969.3	905.6	366.7	1,272.3
Feb.	246.1	58.4	304.5	664.6	310.1	974.7	910.7	368.5	1,279.2
Mar.	246.9	58.4	305.3	666.5	310.6	977.1	913.4	369.0	1,282.4
Apr.	248.0	58.9	306.9	666.5	311.2	977.7	914.5	370.1	1,284.6
May	249.1	59.1	308.2	665.9	310.8	976.7	915.0	369.9	1,284.9
June	249.2	59.4	308.6	665.7	310.4	976.1	914.9	369.8	1,284.7
July	249.2	59.8	309.0	665.4	311.6	977.0	914.6	371.4	1,286.0
Aug.	249.2	59.8	309.0	668.7	312.6	981.3	917.9	372.4	1,290.3
Sept.	249.6	59.7	309.3	670.8	314.7	985.5	920.4	374.4	1,294.8
Oct.	249.7	59.9	309.6	676.3	318.9	995.2	926.0	378.8	1,304.8
Nov.	249.1	60.4	309.5	681.8	323.1	1,004.9	930.9	383.5	1,314.4
Dec.	249.8	60.6	310.4	683.1	322.9	1,006.0	932.9	383.5	1,316.4
1964: Jan.	251.8	61.5	313.3	684.3	319.6	1,003.9	936.1	381.1	1,317.2
Feb.	252.3	61.5	313.8	688.4	321.6	1,010.0	940.7	383.1	1,323.8
Mar.	253.0	61.8	314.8	691.4	325.1	1,016.5	944.4	386.9	1,331.3
Apr.	253.3	62.4	315.7	693.2	324.9	1,018.1	946.5	387.3	1,333.8
May	253.5	62.7	316.2	694.0	326.3	1,020.3	947.5	389.0	1,336.5
June	253.0	63.1	316.1	696.6	327.1	1,023.7	949.6	390.2	1,339.8
July	252.9	63.5	316.4	698.4	328.6	1,027.0	951.3	392.1	1,343.4
Aug.	252.8	63.7	316.5	699.5	330.0	1,029.5	952.3	393.7	1,346.0
Sept.	252.3	63.7	316.0	702.9	333.3	1,036.2	955.2	397.0	1,352.2

*Employees of Commonwealth, State, and local governmental and semi-governmental authorities.

3. Wage and Salary Earners in Civilian Employment in N.S.W.: Principal Industrial Groups

(See notes at head of Table 2)

Month	Mining and Quarrying	Manufacturing	Building and Construction	Transport, Storage, and Communication	Finance and Property	Wholesale Trade, etc.	Retail Trade	Community, Business, and Personal Services*	Total Wage and Salary Earners in Civilian Employment†
Thousands									
MALES									
1954: June	29.3	293.6	92.0	98.4	22.2	49.4	63.0	68.5	774.8
1959: June	21.5	327.1	95.2	98.8	26.5	55.1	69.4	77.9	836.2
1960: June	21.5	342.5	101.6	100.1	28.7	57.7	71.5	81.9	870.6
1961: June	20.9	331.5	103.5	102.2	31.1	59.0	73.5	87.0	876.5
1962: June	19.6	343.0	105.3	100.2	32.1	58.9	74.8	90.2	894.2
1963: June	19.3	349.0	106.2	101.2	33.4	59.5	79.4	94.9	914.9
1963: Mar.	19.4	349.8	105.5	101.2	33.5	59.8	78.6	94.3	913.4
Apr.	19.4	349.5	105.7	101.3	33.4	59.8	78.8	95.0	914.5
May	19.4	349.4	106.9	100.8	33.4	59.6	79.3	94.7	915.0
June	19.3	349.0	106.2	101.2	33.4	59.5	79.4	94.9	914.9
July	19.4	348.9	106.1	101.2	33.3	59.0	79.9	94.9	914.6
Aug.	19.3	349.6	106.8	101.3	33.4	59.8	80.2	95.5	917.9
Sept.	19.3	350.4	107.0	101.6	33.5	60.2	80.6	96.0	920.4
1964: Mar.	19.6	360.0	108.5	102.7	35.6	61.1	83.1	100.2	944.4
Apr.	19.5	361.1	109.1	103.1	35.6	61.5	83.2	99.8	946.5
May	19.5	361.7	109.1	103.8	35.4	61.2	83.2	99.7	947.5
June	19.6	363.3	109.2	103.8	35.6	61.0	83.3	100.0	949.6
July	19.6	364.4	109.5	103.8	35.6	61.2	83.3	100.0	951.3
Aug.	19.5	364.5	109.5	103.7	35.7	61.3	83.5	100.6	952.3
Sept.	19.6	366.0	109.7	103.9	35.6	61.7	83.4	101.3	955.2
FEMALES									
1954: June	0.4	86.7	1.1	12.0	13.7	16.4	48.7	85.3	275.8
1959: June	0.5	98.3	1.7	13.2	19.4	18.9	52.9	103.1	321.2
1960: June	0.5	108.6	1.9	13.5	21.1	20.0	55.7	108.0	342.7
1961: June	0.5	97.7	2.1	14.0	22.9	20.6	57.2	114.2	343.6
1962: June	0.5	105.6	2.2	13.8	23.1	20.3	60.8	118.2	359.0
1963: June	0.5	106.3	2.4	14.0	23.8	20.9	64.5	122.4	369.8
1963: Mar.	0.5	108.6	2.3	13.9	23.7	20.9	63.8	120.4	369.0
Apr.	0.5	107.2	2.3	14.2	23.6	21.0	64.6	121.9	370.1
May	0.5	106.3	2.3	14.0	23.8	21.0	65.2	121.9	369.9
June	0.5	106.3	2.4	14.0	23.8	20.9	64.5	122.4	369.8
July	0.5	106.9	2.4	14.1	23.8	20.9	64.8	122.8	371.4
Aug.	0.6	108.2	2.4	14.1	23.8	21.1	63.9	123.3	372.4
Sept.	0.6	109.6	2.4	14.0	23.8	21.1	64.1	123.9	374.4
1964: Mar.	0.6	113.1	2.5	14.5	25.1	21.5	66.6	127.3	386.9
Apr.	0.6	113.0	2.5	14.9	25.1	21.5	65.9	128.2	387.3
May	0.6	113.4	2.5	14.9	25.0	21.4	66.9	128.6	389.0
June	0.6	113.9	2.5	15.1	25.0	21.4	66.8	129.2	390.2
July	0.6	115.3	2.6	15.2	24.9	21.5	66.7	129.3	392.1
Aug.	0.6	116.0	2.6	15.3	24.9	21.7	66.7	129.7	393.7
Sept.	0.6	117.5	2.6	15.5	24.9	21.8	67.4	130.6	397.0
PERSONS									
1954: June	29.7	380.3	93.1	110.4	35.9	65.8	111.7	153.8	1,050.6
1959: June	22.0	425.4	96.9	112.0	45.9	74.0	122.3	181.0	1,157.4
1960: June	22.0	451.1	103.5	113.6	49.8	77.7	127.2	189.9	1,213.3
1961: June	21.4	429.2	105.6	116.2	54.0	79.6	130.7	201.2	1,220.1
1962: June	20.1	448.6	107.5	114.0	55.2	79.2	135.6	208.4	1,253.2
1963: June	19.8	455.3	108.6	115.2	57.2	80.4	143.9	217.3	1,284.7
1963: Mar.	19.9	458.4	107.8	115.1	57.2	80.7	142.4	214.7	1,282.4
Apr.	19.9	456.7	108.0	115.5	57.0	80.8	143.4	216.9	1,284.6
May	19.9	455.7	109.2	114.8	57.2	80.6	144.5	216.6	1,284.9
June	19.8	455.3	108.6	115.2	57.2	80.4	143.9	217.3	1,284.7
July	19.9	455.8	108.5	115.3	57.1	79.9	144.7	217.7	1,286.0
Aug.	19.9	457.8	109.2	115.4	57.2	80.9	144.1	218.8	1,290.3
Sept.	19.9	460.0	109.4	115.6	57.3	81.3	144.7	219.9	1,294.8
1964: Mar.	20.2	473.1	111.0	117.2	60.7	82.6	149.7	227.5	1,331.3
Apr.	20.1	474.1	111.6	118.0	60.7	83.0	149.1	228.0	1,333.4
May	20.1	475.1	111.6	118.7	60.4	82.6	150.1	228.3	1,336.5
June	20.2	477.2	111.7	118.9	60.6	82.4	150.1	229.2	1,339.8
July	20.2	479.7	112.1	119.0	60.5	82.7	150.0	229.3	1,343.4
Aug.	20.1	480.5	112.1	119.0	60.6	83.0	150.2	230.3	1,346.0
Sept.	20.2	483.5	112.3	119.4	60.5	83.5	150.8	231.9	1,352.2

* Includes Education, Health, Law, Hotels and Restaurants, Amusements, etc., and other Community, Business and Personal Services.

† Includes other industrial groups (74,000 males, 16,100 females, 90,100 persons in September, 1964) not shown separately in the table.

4. Employment in Larger Private Factories, New South Wales*

Industrial Group	1963			1964					
	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.
MALES									
Building Materials	16,704	16,664	16,812	16,810	16,865	16,921	17,003	17,000	17,058
Basic Metals	43,896	44,060	44,089	45,499	45,799	45,861	45,916	45,877	45,903
Transportation Equipment	19,941	19,764	19,775	21,072	21,288	21,068	20,853	20,925	19,168
Other Metal Manufacturing	43,781	44,107	44,269	45,858	45,998	46,309	46,728	46,893	47,068
Chemicals and Allied Products	10,960	10,984	11,001	11,442	11,484	11,430	11,344	11,404	11,376
Clothing and Textiles	10,843	10,869	10,882	11,053	11,127	11,132	11,174	11,101	11,074
Other (excluding Food)	23,543	23,595	23,630	24,051	24,134	24,450	24,520	24,571	24,647
Total of above	169,668	170,043	170,458	175,785	176,695	177,171	177,538	177,771	176,294
Food	17,283	17,314	17,668	17,793	17,621	17,640	17,755	17,851	18,177
Total, All Groups	186,951	187,357	188,126	193,578	194,316	194,811	195,293	195,622	194,471
FEMALES									
Building Materials	1,702	1,699	1,712	1,748	1,740	1,749	1,732	1,755	1,828
Basic Metals	2,421	2,452	2,463	2,527	2,556	2,599	2,623	2,670	2,683
Transportation Equipment	2,738	2,784	2,781	2,926	2,945	2,952	2,976	2,991	3,022
Other Metal Manufacturing	14,038	14,617	14,901	15,742	15,773	16,110	16,186	16,637	16,910
Chemicals and Allied Products	2,836	2,855	2,837	2,832	2,835	2,846	2,901	2,936	2,918
Clothing and Textiles	20,544	20,706	20,623	20,846	21,174	21,347	21,409	21,515	21,546
Other (excluding Food)	7,384	7,517	7,674	7,995	8,038	8,226	8,176	8,281	8,325
Total of above	51,663	52,630	52,991	54,616	55,061	55,829	56,003	56,785	57,232
Food	6,925	6,998	7,538	7,533	7,483	7,501	7,424	7,579	7,988
Total, All Groups	58,588	59,628	60,529	62,149	62,544	63,330	63,427	64,364	65,220
PERSONS									
Building Materials	18,406	18,363	18,524	18,558	18,605	18,670	18,735	18,755	18,886
Basic Metals	46,317	46,512	46,552	48,026	48,355	48,460	48,539	48,547	48,586
Transportation Equipment	22,679	22,548	22,556	23,998	24,233	24,020	23,829	23,916	22,190
Other Metal Manufacturing	57,819	58,724	59,170	61,600	61,771	62,419	62,914	63,530	63,978
Chemicals and Allied Products	13,796	13,839	13,838	14,274	14,319	14,276	14,245	14,340	14,294
Clothing and Textiles	31,387	31,575	31,505	31,899	32,301	32,479	32,583	32,616	32,620
Other (excluding Food)	30,927	31,112	31,304	32,046	32,172	32,676	32,696	32,852	32,972
Total of above	221,331	222,673	223,449	230,401	231,756	233,000	233,541	234,556	233,526
Food	24,208	24,312	25,206	25,326	25,104	25,141	25,179	25,430	26,165
Total, All Groups	245,539	246,985	248,655	255,727	256,860	258,141	258,720	259,986	259,691

* Results of survey (conducted jointly with the Department of Labour and National Service) covering slightly more than half of the total factory employment in N.S.W. The results are available a month earlier than the main employment series shown in Table 3.

5. Average Weekly Earnings per Employed Male Unit*, N.S.W.†

Year	Sept. Qr.	Dec. Qr.	Mar. Qr.	June Qr.	Year	Year	Sept. Qr.	Dec. Qr.	Mar. Qr.	June Qr.	Year
1954-55	£ 17.26	£ 18.32	£ 16.74	£ 18.42	£ 17.69	1959-60	£ 22.04	£ 23.53	£ 21.83	£ 23.90	£ 22.83
1955-56	18.62	19.68	18.21	19.38	18.97	1960-61	23.68	25.18	22.88	24.50	24.06
1956-57	19.49	20.83	19.14	20.34	19.95	1961-62	23.98	25.64	23.35	25.22	24.55
1957-58	20.22	21.49	19.47	20.75	20.48	1962-63	24.47	26.23	23.86	25.74	25.08
1958-59	20.94	22.22	19.97	21.41	21.14	1963-64	25.33	27.71	25.01	27.09	26.29

* Total earnings divided by total civilian employment expressed in male units. "Earnings" includes salaries, wages at award rates, overtime, over-award and bonus payments, commissions, etc., but excludes payments to members of the Defence Forces. "Male units" represent total male employment plus a proportion of female employment based on the approximate ratio of female to male earnings.

† Includes Australian Capital Territory.

Note. Comparisons as to trend should be made for complete years or corresponding quarters, as the quarters are affected by seasonal influences.

**6. Unemployment, Sickness, and Special Benefits in New South Wales*:
Amount of Benefits Paid and Admissions to Unemployment Benefit**

Period	Number Admitted to Unemployment Benefit during Period†			Amount of Benefits Paid during Period‡			
	Males	Females	Persons	Unemployment	Sickness	Special¶	Total
Year: 1957-58	41,010	9,491	50,501	£ 1,732,137	£ 797,567	£ 162,621	£ 2,692,325
1958-59	43,605	12,210	55,815	2,429,242	727,534	142,597	3,499,373
1959-60	24,431	9,539	33,970	1,606,916	948,088	139,178	2,694,182
1960-61	42,046	11,875	53,921	1,332,960	886,945	132,112	2,352,017
1961-62	74,915	20,970	95,885	4,423,959	1,114,236	166,916	5,705,111
1962-63	55,393	19,674	75,067	4,098,981	1,401,886	174,934	5,675,801
1963-64	31,637	17,871	49,508	2,553,050	1,408,451	185,885	4,147,386
1963: August	4,044	1,760	5,804	324,339	122,118	15,346	461,803
September	2,300	1,095	3,395	274,696	127,420	16,838	418,954
October	1,943	994	2,937	196,475	118,932	16,351	331,758
November	2,048†	1,482†	3,530†	139,279	105,638	14,245	259,162
December	3,935	1,681	5,616	186,758	115,400	15,019	317,177
1964: January	3,254	1,485	4,739	240,738	118,864	17,125	376,727
February	2,628†	2,240†	4,868†	197,249	103,742	13,531	314,522
March	1,660	1,410	3,070	167,812	122,069	14,763	304,644
April	1,786	1,447	3,233	153,994	109,904	15,669	279,567
May	1,925†	1,505†	3,430†	128,121	109,097	14,877	252,095
June	1,592	1,121	2,713	134,216	111,910	16,190	262,316
July	1,674	1,141	2,815	131,858	119,545	15,587	266,990
August	1,604†	1,170†	2,774†	118,507	132,383	14,629	265,519
September	979	774	1,753	93,070	126,813	15,298	235,181
October	1,081†	862†	1,943†	76,657	107,579	13,119	197,355

* Includes Australian Capital Territory.

† Monthly figures relate to periods of four or five weeks ending on the last Saturday of the month. Figures relating to periods of five weeks are identified by the symbol †.

‡ Monthly figures relate to calendar months.

¶ Includes payments to immigrants during training for employment.

**7. Unemployment, Sickness, and Special Benefits in New South Wales*:
Number Receiving Benefits at End of each Month**

Last Saturday of Month	Unemployment			Sickness	Special†	All Benefits		
	Males	Females	Persons	Persons	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
1958: June	8,706	2,997	11,703	3,343	769	11,429	4,386	15,815
1959: June	8,563	3,529	12,092	3,581	735	11,366	5,042	16,408
1960: June	3,498	2,127	5,625	3,609	697	6,284	3,647	9,931
1961: June	15,312	4,412	19,724	3,402	691	18,026	5,791	23,817
1962: June	11,541	5,494	17,035	4,303	673	14,815	7,196	22,011
1963: June	10,912	5,975	16,887	4,552	650	14,299	7,790	22,089
1963: August	8,377	5,275	13,652	4,749	665	11,837	7,229	19,066
September	6,059	4,526	10,585	4,646	747	9,510	6,468	15,978
October	5,070	3,870	8,940	4,693	781	8,603	5,811	14,414
November	4,486	3,741	8,227	4,745	760	8,047	5,685	13,732
December	6,883	4,332	11,215	4,552	762	10,337	6,192	16,529
1964: January	6,371	4,360	10,731	4,217	751	9,576	6,123	15,699
February	4,669	4,377	9,046	5,183	742	8,743	6,228	14,971
March	4,055	4,067	8,122	4,445	746	7,413	5,900	13,313
April	3,735	4,043	7,778	4,381	736	7,070	5,825	12,895
May	3,237	3,762	6,999	4,575	757	6,663	5,668	12,331
June	3,278	3,629	6,907	4,402	710	6,519	5,500	12,019
July	3,163	3,367	6,530	4,620	741	6,591	5,300	11,891
August	2,609	2,866	5,475	4,703	742	6,173	4,747	10,920
September	2,071	2,378	4,449	4,817	733	5,757	4,242	9,999
October	1,739	2,157	3,896	4,553	731	5,210	3,970	9,180

* Includes Australian Capital Territory.

† Excludes immigrants in training for employment.

8. Mandays Lost in Industrial Disputes*, N.S.W.

Period	Coal Mining	Manufacturing		Building and Construction	Transport		Other Industries	Total
		Engineering, Metal Works, etc.	Other		Stevedoring	Other		
	Thousands							
Year : 1958	126.1	32.6	17.7	11.2	28.7	10.8	4.4	231.5
1959	61.8	55.2	36.2	16.6	18.4	3.7	19.5	211.4
1960	88.1	86.0	47.8	24.6	48.7	49.1	72.5	416.8
1961	41.4	139.7	65.0	19.3	18.7	11.8	22.7	318.6
1962	41.2	83.3	75.7	30.6	46.7	24.3	1.6	303.4
1963	38.6	88.6	87.7	23.0	42.6	14.6	12.3	307.4
1962: June Qr.	9.1	14.6	5.8	4.8	23.1	2.8	0.3	60.5
Sept. Qr.	15.0	24.5	19.0	7.2	18.1	18.4	0.8	103.0
Dec. Qr.	7.8	37.5	40.1	7.7	5.3	2.2	0.1	100.7
1963: Mar. Qr.	11.8	23.0	20.2	3.7	11.3	2.5	0.1	72.6
June Qr.	7.1	8.6	13.5	5.7	22.0	0.3	1.2	58.4
Sept. Qr.	9.7	20.7	28.0	9.7	5.7	3.4	3.8	81.0
Dec. Qr.	10.0	36.3	26.0	3.9	3.6	8.4	7.2	95.4
1964: Mar. Qr.	3.2	17.1	20.5	9.2	12.1	10.2	0.2	72.5
June Qr.	12.1	14.1	10.9	8.8	6.8	1.4	13.2	67.3

* Relates to industrial disputes involving a stoppage of work for a minimum of 10 mandays. The figures include the time lost by employees who worked in establishments where stoppages occurred but were not themselves parties to the disputes; they exclude the time lost, as a result of the disputes, by employees in other establishments.

9. Population, Migration, Births, Deaths, and Marriages, New South Wales

Note. The estimates of the population for periods between the 1954 and 1961 censuses of population have been revised in the light of the final results of the 1961 census. The revised estimates represent the population ascertained at the 1954 census plus the subsequent natural increase and net migration (recorded net migration plus an adjustment for the discrepancy disclosed by the 1961 census). The estimates for periods since the 1961 census are subject to similar revision when the population is ascertained at the next census.

Period	Estimated Population at end of Period			Net Migration*	Live Births	Total Deaths	Deaths under 1 Year	Marriages
	Males	Females	Persons					
Year : 1957	1,845,075	1,817,829	3,662,904	27,394	79,456	33,317	1,804	28,767
1958	1,875,863	1,852,937	3,728,800	18,201	80,045	32,350	1,704	28,554
1959	1,908,062	1,886,015	3,794,077	19,660	80,866	35,249	1,832	28,201
1960	1,951,907	1,925,354	3,877,261	36,231	81,983	35,030	1,735	29,328
1961	1,983,891	1,965,529	3,949,420	20,815	86,392	35,048	1,800	29,773
1962	2,015,081	2,001,554	4,016,635	18,637	85,439	36,861	1,825	30,360
1963	2,052,339	2,033,954	4,086,293	22,819	84,065	37,226	1,673	30,999
1961: Dec. Qr.	1,983,891	1,965,529	3,949,420	7,537	20,717	7,900	430	7,805
1962: Mar. Qr.	1,991,195	1,976,731	3,967,926	4,307	22,120	7,921	453	8,180
June Qr.	1,993,235	1,983,501	3,976,736	(—)3,835	21,849	9,204	466	7,576
Sept. Qr.	2,003,039	1,991,179	3,994,218	7,612	21,054	11,184	486	6,605
Dec. Qr.	2,015,081	2,001,554	4,016,635	10,553	20,416	8,552	420	7,999
1963: Mar. Qr.	2,027,512	2,010,007	4,037,519	7,556	21,468	8,140	425	8,636
June Qr.	2,034,734	2,013,864	4,048,598	(—) 849	20,976	9,048	419	7,883
Sept. Qr.	2,042,768	2,022,642	4,065,410	6,585	21,351	11,124	418	6,672
Dec. Qr.	2,052,339	2,033,954	4,086,293	9,527	20,270	8,914	411	7,808
1964: Mar. Qr.	2,064,953	2,044,633	4,109,586	11,579	20,116	8,402	394	8,438
June Qr.	2,068,494	2,048,212	4,116,706	(—)4,089	21,078	9,869	463	8,301

* Excess of overseas and interstate arrivals over departures. The sign (—) denotes an excess of departures over arrivals.

The estimated population of **Metropolis of Sydney** was 2,300,100 persons at 30th June, 1964.

10. Mean Population* of N.S.W.: Financial and Calendar Years

Year	Year ended 30th June			Year ended 31st December		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
1957	1,807,770	1,781,358	3,589,128	1,825,734	1,798,577	3,624,311
1958	1,843,824	1,816,914	3,660,738	1,860,437	1,835,612	3,696,049
1959	1,876,386	1,852,644	3,729,030	1,893,263	1,869,076	3,762,339
1960	1,910,182	1,886,270	3,796,452	1,929,720	1,904,365	3,834,085
1961	1,951,836	1,924,085	3,875,921	1,970,618	1,944,100	3,914,718
1962	1,983,836	1,964,544	3,948,380	1,996,865	1,983,810	3,980,675
1963	2,015,028	2,000,435	4,015,463	2,034,834	2,016,153	4,050,987
1964	2,053,232	2,033,257	4,086,489			

* See note at head of Table 9.

II. Index of Rainfall in Rural Districts, New South Wales

Normal Rainfall for each month = 100

Month	Sheep Districts					Wheat Districts				Coastal Dairying Districts			
	N.	C.	S.	W.	T.	N.	C.	S.	T.	N.	C.	S.	T.
1963: March	202	165	124	252	171	197	163	141	154	201	381	193	246
April	87	85	86	97	87	89	92	74	81	223	310	234	247
May	283	206	204	168	223	275	219	219	226	309	240	252	284
June	68	113	113	135	102	82	112	122	114	131	208	204	160
July	27	86	122	63	78	40	99	120	104	9	49	120	34
August	151	128	103	115	125	154	113	98	109	110	159	206	135
September	73	115	115	72	98	73	100	113	105	79	141	143	103
October	69	99	108	113	95	80	97	116	106	93	116	73	96
November	126	86	77	57	91	104	94	68	79	161	142	120	151
December	124	147	122	88	126	130	154	125	133	138	115	241	145
1964: January	166	74	52	138	99	186	75	56	77	59	76	27	59
February	64	47	45	26	49	40	10	45	36	172	81	50	133
March	122	66	76	15	79	136	63	78	81	187	108	56	150
April	201	176	264	129	207	244	194	265	243	122	106	299	141
May	76	61	49	36	59	80	67	48	57	63	46	36	55
June	68	144	96	57	97	73	138	98	106	43	179	245	104
July	115	93	131	73	109	122	92	116	111	30	20	20	26
August	65	76	82	79	75	65	74	63	66	44	74	172	68
September	183	164	188	325	195	174	159	203	188	56	37	44	49
October	186	207	186	181	192	184	190	178	182	62	88	123	77

N.—Northern. C.—Central. S.—Southern. W.—Western. T.—Total, all Districts.

12. Number of Sheep, Sheep Shorn, and Production of Wool, New South Wales

Sheep as at 31st March; Sheep Shorn and Wool Production (as in grease) in season ended June

Particulars		1938-39	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64
Sheep	mill.	48.9	67.9	71.0	68.1	69.5	70.0	71.8
Sheep Shorn	mill.	51.5	70.9	73.8	70.9	72.2	72.3	74.9
Wool Produced*	mill. lb.	437.1	684.2	715.4	664.3	701.2	693.7	731.3

* Includes crutchings and wool from skins.

13. Wool Received into Store and Unsold in Store, New South Wales*

Period	Received into Store during period				Unsold in Store at end of period			
	Sydney	New-castle	Goul-burn	Total	Sydney	New-castle	Goul-burn	Total
Thousand bales								
Season: 1959-60	1,290.3	392.2	58.3	1,740.8	58.7	22.7	0.4	81.8
1960-61	1,082.1	371.1	106.8	1,560.0	29.1	27.8	0.3	57.2
1961-62	1,063.1	365.9	127.3	1,556.3	40.6	25.0	0.8	66.4
1962-63	1,036.5	375.2	133.0	1,544.7	42.0	23.5	0.4	65.9
1963-64	1,072.4	416.5	147.6	1,636.5	59.6	26.6	1.1	87.3
1963-64: July-Oct.	543.0	192.6	87.5	823.1	206.6	93.1	54.2	353.9
1964-65: July-Oct.	466.3	192.2	81.2	739.7	161.7	94.5	52.5	308.7
1963: May	58.3	14.1	2.2	74.6	37.0	6.8	...	43.8
June	61.4	16.8	0.3	78.5	42.0	23.5	0.4	65.9
July	103.9	23.6	4.3	131.8	88.1	22.1	4.7	114.9
August	124.5	43.6	15.0	183.1	145.9	65.8	19.7	231.4
September	168.7	56.1	28.8	253.6	236.5	73.4	31.8	341.7
October	145.9	69.3	39.4	254.6	206.6	93.1	54.2	353.9
1964: May	60.6	12.0	1.8	74.4	72.0	10.7	0.4	83.1
June	60.5	15.9	0.8	77.2	59.6	26.6	1.1	87.3
July	87.3	22.5	3.5	113.3	95.9	24.8	4.7	125.4
August	125.3	45.4	14.2	184.9	155.4	70.2	18.8	244.4
September	138.0	60.4	28.9	227.3	184.0	77.9	35.0	296.9
October	115.7	63.8	34.7	214.2	161.7	94.5	52.5	308.7

* Excludes Albury (regarded as a Victorian selling centre).

14. Wool: Sales at Auction, New South Wales*

Period	Wool Sold					Amount Realised			
	Greasy and Scoured			Total		Sydney	New-castle	Goul-burn	Total
	Sydney	New-castle	Goul-burn	Greasy	Scoured				
	Thousand bales†									£ thousand
Season: 1958-59	1,227.7	366.4	60.5	1,622.5	32.1	75,752	21,791	3,447	100,990
1959-60	1,279.7	378.6	58.1	1,690.1	26.3	91,763	26,881	4,395	123,039
1960-61	1,111.3	366.2	106.8	1,554.6	29.7	71,756	23,379	6,960	102,095
1961-62	1,051.3	368.8	126.9	1,522.2	24.8	71,982	25,699	9,134	106,815
1962-63	1,034.9	376.9	133.5	1,522.8	22.5	76,239	28,605	10,348	115,197
1963-64	1,055.0	414.0	146.9	1,598.5	17.4	91,176	37,462	13,854	142,492
1963-64: July-Oct.	378.6	123.5	33.8	529.3	6.6	31,733	10,380	2,883	44,996
1964-65: July-Oct.	362.0	124.0	29.8	511.3	4.5	27,879	9,627	2,394	39,900
1963: May	101.9	46.0	6.6	152.6	1.9	7,606	3,509	441	11,556
June	56.4	...	...	54.7	1.7	4,629	...	...	4,629
July	58.1	25.4	...	82.0	1.5	4,673	2,081	...	6,754
August	66.6	...	...	64.5	2.1	5,335	...	...	5,335
September	78.2	48.5	16.7	142.3	1.1	6,320	4,004	1,380	11,704
October	175.7	49.6	17.1	240.5	1.9	15,405	4,295	1,503	21,203
1964: May	94.7	51.5	6.6	151.7	1.1	6,624	3,715	427	10,766
June	72.9	...	...	71.5	1.4	5,461	...	...	5,461
July	50.9	24.0	...	73.3	1.6	3,715	1,777	...	5,492
August	63.6	...	...	62.8	0.8	4,947	...	...	4,947
September	109.3	52.7	12.7	174.1	0.6	8,462	4,226	1,021	13,709
October	138.1	47.2	17.1	201.0	1.4	10,755	3,624	1,374	15,753

* Excludes Albury (regarded as a Victorian selling centre).

† Scoured bales are not converted to greasy basis.

15. Prices of Greasy Wool, New South Wales

Season	Average Price at Auction, New South Wales*	Month	Average Price that would be realised if a N.S.W. clip of standard annual composition were sold at prices ruling in the month			
			1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65
	Pence per lb.		Pence per lb.			
1938-39	10.3	July	56.0†	55.0	64.0	63.0
1953-54	81.8	August	56.0	52.0	62.0	63.0
1954-55	70.6	September	55.0	52.0	63.0	62.0p
1955-56	61.6	October	53.0	54.0	66.0	61.0p
1956-57	80.5	November	52.0	55.0	72.0	
1957-58	62.8	December	52.0	57.0	71.0	
1958-59	48.3	January	52.0	63.0	72.0	
1959-60	57.4	February	55.0	62.0	73.0	
1960-61	51.9	March	56.0	63.0	73.0	
1961-62	54.6	April	56.0	63.0	68.0	
1962-63	59.5	May	56.0	63.0	62.0	
1963-64	70.3	June	56.0	65.0	63.0	

* Excludes Albury (regarded as a Victorian selling centre).

† Nominal.

16. Wheat Growing in New South Wales

Season	Holdings with 20 acres or more Wheat for Grain	Area under Wheat		Yield of Grain	
		Total	For Grain	Total	Average per acre
	Number	Acres		Bushels	
1936-37 to 1945-46*	15,875†	4,203,047	3,824,667	49,850,000	13.0
1953-54	14,865	3,547,624	3,356,888	63,681,000	19.0
1954-55	13,784	3,177,844	2,918,670	37,718,000	12.9
1955-56	14,035	3,064,204	2,937,281	57,149,000	19.5
1956-57	10,197	1,810,379	1,742,334	28,490,000	16.4
1957-58	12,111	2,547,673	2,257,398	10,603,000	4.7
1958-59	15,313	3,340,382	3,178,013	66,441,000	20.9
1959-60	16,798	4,108,860	3,950,389	75,358,000	19.1
1960-61	16,959	4,276,599	4,076,110	84,657,000	20.8
1961-62	17,489	4,744,714	4,498,244	78,350,000	17.4
1962-63	18,286	5,241,953	5,008,210	109,002,000	21.8
1963-64	17,753	5,150,814	4,963,811	122,472,000	24.7

* Annual average.

† Average of six seasons, 1935-36 to 1940-41.

17. Wheat: Prices and Return to Growers, New South Wales, and Prices in Canada

Period	Export Price*		Home Price for Human Consumption‡	Net Return, f.o.r. country siding, to N.S.W. Growers ¶	Canadian No. 1 Northern Wheat; in store, Fort William-Port Arthur and Vancouver §
	Wheat sold under I.W.A.†	Other Wheat			For Commercial Export
	s. d. per bushel				Cents. (Can.) per bushel
Year: 1956-57	13 5.7	13 5.7	13 9.5	10 9.1	168.2
1957-58	14 6	14 6	17 5.4	11 2.2	162.3
1958-59	13 10	13 10	14 8	10 7.0	166.3
1959-60	13 3.8	13 3.8	15 0	11 0.4	166.0
1960-61	13 6.2	13 6.2	15 4	11 7.1	167.5
1961-62	14 5.3	14 5.3	15 10	12 4.8	189.8
1962-63	14 5.2	14 5.2	15 11.5	11 10.1	196.2
1963-64	15 3.2	15 3.2	n.y.a.	11 5.0p	203.4
1963: September	14 6.0	14 6.0	15 11.5		192.8
October	14 8.5	14 8.5	15 11.5		200.7
November	14 11.0	14 11.0	15 11.5		204.0
December	15 7.0	15 7.0	14 7.0		204.6
1964: January	15 8.75	15 8.75	14 7.0		205.8
February	15 10.0	15 10.0	14 7.0		208.0
March	15 10.0	15 10.0	14 7.0		208.0
April	15 6.0	15 6.0	14 7.0		206.7
May	15 6.0	15 6.0	14 7.0		205.9
June	15 5.0	15 5.0	14 7.0		205.6
July	15 3.75	15 3.75	14 7.0		205.7
August	15 2.0	15 2.0	14 7.0		205.2
September	15 1.0	15 1.0	14 7.0		204.7
October	15 1.0	15 1.0	14 7.0		204.5

* Basic selling prices of Australian Wheat Board for f.a.q. bulk wheat, f.o.b., Sydney. For some destinations, where other exporting countries have a geographical freight advantage, the selling price is below this basic price. Annual quotations are the average of the twelve monthly prices, year ended July.

† International Wheat Agreement.

‡ Price charged by Australian Wheat Board for bulk wheat for flour for local consumption, f.o.r., Sydney. Annual quotations are the average of the twelve monthly prices, year ended November.

§ Allowing for costs of bags and including governmental assistance to wheat growers. Pool seasons, generally year ended October.

§ Annual quotations are the average of the twelve monthly prices, year ended July.

18. Whole Milk Production, New South Wales

Period	1959-60	1960-61	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64p	1964-65p
	Thousand gallons					
July	20,126	17,774	19,762	17,974	18,769	19,388
August	22,974	21,518	21,906	21,394	21,305	21,739
September	28,573	24,932	26,918	24,568	25,920	26,206
October	35,338	29,564	35,324	32,653	32,011	32,780
November	39,526	31,826	38,198	32,955	36,329	
December	40,127	33,362	40,846	33,827	37,875	
March Qr.	99,215	93,015	102,513	99,471	95,094	
June Qr.	62,510	67,419	59,257	61,271	61,108	
Year ended June	348,389	319,410	344,724	324,113	328,411	

19. Butter: Prices and Return to Farmer

Year ended June	Export*	Wholesale (Sydney)†	Net Return to Farmer‡	Month	Export*	Wholesale (Sydney)†
	s. d. per lb.				s. d. per lb.	
1952	3 3.1	2 7.2	3 6.1	1963: October	3 2.8	4 6.25
1953	3 6.0	3 8.8	3 11.4	November	3 2.8	4 6.25
1954	3 7.7	3 8.8	3 11.5	December	3 2.8	4 6.25
1955	3 6.0	3 8.8	3 10.5	1964: January	3 2.8	4 6.25
1956	3 5.6	4 0.2	3 8.9	February	3 2.8	4 6.25
1957	2 8.6	4 2	3 7.1	March	3 2.8	4 6.25
1958	2 2.5	4 2	3 7.7	April	3 2.8	4 6.25
1959	2 8.9	4 4	3 8.4	May	3 2.8	4 6.25
1960	3 4.9	4 4	3 10.6	June	3 2.8	4 6.9
1961	2 6.1	4 5.8	3 8.9	July	3 2.9r	4 8.0
1962	2 7.4	4 6.1	3 7.7	August	3 2.9r	4 8.0
1963	3 0.1	4 6.25	3 9.0	September	3 2.9	4 8.0
1964	3 2.8	4 6.3	n.y.a.	October	n.y.a.	4 8.0

* Weighted average price for choicest butter, f.o.b. Australia.

† Price for choicest quality bulk butter supplied in 56 lb. boxes, delivered (including price of box). Annual quotations are the average of the twelve monthly prices.

‡ Average price paid for cream supplied to N.S.W. factories, inclusive of government subsidy.

20. Mine Production* of Principal Metals and Sulphur, N.S.W.

Period	Cad- mium	Copper	Gold	Lead	Silver	Sulphur	Tin	Titanium	Zinc
	Tons		Oz. fine	Tons	Thousand oz. fine	Tons		Tons TiO ₂	Tons
Year: 1957	924.4	4,381.8	31,043	266,928	9,969	207,604	211	97,159	241,509
1958	812.3	4,023.4	18,709	246,896	8,992	197,736	239	56,583	211,667
1959	801.2	3,728.1	13,275	246,449	8,555	188,892	174	61,035	202,675
1960	893.4	3,572.0	13,628	235,868	8,398	204,358	223	69,904	234,170
1961	844.6	3,510.2	12,034	211,679	7,448	194,659	173	86,467	237,834
1962	920.0	3,746.9	11,234	292,381	9,929	196,793	212	100,353	244,863
1963	1,034.7	3,862.9	11,395	328,462	11,425	212,712	250	161,228	265,637
1963: Jan.-Sept.	777.6	2,958.2	8,747	244,866	8,428	159,318	167	116,943	199,545
1964: Jan.-Sept.	745.6	2,565.5	7,864	222,284	7,992	149,903	340	n.y.a.	189,132
1963: February	79.6	313.1	926	25,773	851	16,442			20,435
March	86.3	326.0	935	26,946	901	17,404	48†	35,848†	21,646
April	83.6	319.3	881	25,321	882	16,921			21,376
May	102.4	384.1	1,143	31,938	1,095	20,871			26,439
June	94.7	364.7	1,165	29,791	1,018	19,343	62†	40,162†	24,288
July	101.7	381.0	1,116	31,952	1,122	21,027			26,376
August	94.2	357.7	1,048	29,784	1,053	19,285			24,111
September	87.5	329.6	969	28,374	1,004	18,272	57†	40,933†	22,697
1964: February	80.5	313.0	854	25,258	889	16,407			20,356
March	78.0	280.0	828	23,695	842	15,641	87†	38,239†	19,549
April	64.6	215.0	669	18,569	689	12,889			16,423
May	88.2	338.4	968	28,406	1,011	18,041			22,354
June	96.6	340.7	999	29,594	1,048	19,613	93†	39,619†	24,572
July	96.0	315.5	969	28,676	1,056	19,324			24,382
August	99.0	303.5	1,032	27,573	989	19,592			25,116
September	105.4	316.8	1,073	29,044	1,050	20,772	160†	n.y.a.†	26,722

* These are gross contents of metallic minerals produced, as determined by assay, and make no allowance for losses in smelting and refining. The quantities shown are therefore, in general, greater than those actually recoverable.

† Production for three months ending with this month.

21. Metal Prices, London and Australia

Period*	London Prices†				Australian Prices‡			
	Copper (Electro- lytic)†	Lead	Zinc (Virgin)	Tin	Copper (Electro- lytic)	Lead	Zinc (Electro- lytic)	Tin
	£stg. per ton				£A per ton			
Year: 1959	237.8	70.8	82.1	785	312.3	100.0	105.4	1,058
1960	246.0	72.1	89.3	797	324.5	100.0	113.2	1,042
1961	229.6	64.2	77.8	888	306.6	99.3	102.1	1,168
1962	234.0	56.3	67.5	897	305.0	82.2	106.1	1,164
1963	234.3	63.4	76.8	910	305.0	84.6	109.1	1,179
1963: March	234.1	55.7	71.7	856	305.0	80.0	106.1	1,118
April	234.2	57.9	74.2	881	305.0	80.0	106.1	1,146
May	234.1	60.6	76.0	905	305.0	82.0	106.1	1,184
June	234.2	65.0	75.9	907	305.0	85.0	106.1	1,190
July	234.1	65.1	74.3	901	305.0	85.0	106.1	1,171
August	234.1	67.1	76.4	905	305.0	86.1	106.2	1,167
September	234.1	67.8	76.6	934	305.0	87.5	106.3	1,180
October	234.1	69.7	80.1	940	305.0	89.4	110.5	1,216
1964: March	270.1	81.2	100.6	1,073	336.5	97.5	135.1	1,397
April	312.2	82.3	108.4	1,043	327.3	100.0	143.1	1,359
May	300.0	88.5	124.5	1,054	320.0	109.0	161.5	1,373
June	292.9	89.4	129.6	1,183	320.0	110.0	166.7	1,493
July	309.8	98.3	139.8	1,251	320.0	115.6	173.6	1,606
August	351.8	109.2	125.3	1,272	328.6	130.2	169.1	1,647
September	420.0	111.6	121.6	1,426	347.0	127.5	153.5	1,842
October	491.3	120.4	121.4	1,584	340.0	138.1	150.0	2,013

* Average for year or month shown.

† Spot prices; averages of buyers' and sellers' quotes.

‡ From October, 1963, price is for copper wire bars.

§ Home consumption selling prices. The bases are—copper, ex works, Port Kembla; lead f.o.b. Port Pirie; zinc f.o.b. Risdon until June, 1962, and c.i.f. Sydney from July, 1962 (average for 1962 is on the basis of c.i.f. Sydney); tin: delivered, Sydney. The official price of gold has been £15 12s. 6d per oz. fine since May, 1954.

22. Coal Production in New South Wales

Period of Four Weeks	Last Day of Period (1964 Dates)	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964
Thousand tons								
1st*	Jan. 25	323	315	999	711	778	776	819
2nd	Feb. 22	1,260	1,202	1,290	1,493	1,540	1,490	1,664
3rd	Mar. 21	1,259	1,277	1,343	1,630	1,659	1,481	1,788
4th*	Apr. 18	1,158	1,138	1,302	1,080	1,549	1,032	1,262
5th*	May 16	1,209	1,178	1,339	1,497	998	1,380	1,706
6th	June 13	1,284	1,289	1,363	1,580	1,517	1,570	1,799
7th	July 11	1,275	1,275	1,480	1,639	1,656	1,676	1,706
8th	Aug. 8	1,377	1,273	1,488	1,679	1,605	1,715	1,797
9th*	Sept. 5	1,361	1,362	1,507	1,566	1,644	1,318	1,397
10th	Oct. 3	1,267	1,362	1,453	1,605	1,569	1,777	1,748
11th	Oct. 31	1,370	1,316	1,513	1,672	1,639	1,620	1,727
12th	Nov. 28	1,332	1,341	1,460	1,623	1,626	1,762	
13th*	Dec. 26	1,376	1,384†	1,200	1,246	1,250	1,343	
Year: Underground		15,131	15,278	16,982	18,189	18,196	18,338	
Open Cut		720	434	755	832	834	602	
Total		15,851	15,712	17,737	19,021	19,030	18,940	

44 WEEKS ENDED—

	Oct. 25	Oct. 24	Nov. 5	Nov. 4	Nov. 3	Nov. 2	Oct. 31
Northern District...	7,945	7,707	8,916	8,819	8,669	7,929	8,979
Southern District...	3,897	3,975	4,827	5,970	6,197	6,524	7,119
Western District...	1,301	1,305	1,334	1,362	1,288	1,382	1,315
Underground ..	12,525	12,634	14,433	15,479	15,389	15,357	16,833
Open Cut ..	618	353	644	672	765	478	580
Total ..	13,143	12,987	15,077	16,151	16,154	15,835	17,413

* Miners are entitled to take four weeks' annual leave (three weeks before 1961). Before the 13th period, 1962, "pay in lieu" was made for public holidays falling in an annual leave period, but since then the holidays have actually been taken. The numbers of working days on which mines were closed for annual leave holidays and public holidays taken in an annual leave period are shown below:—

	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964
1st Period	15	15	5	10	10	10	10
4th Period	5	5	5	5
5th Period	5	5
9th Period
13th Period	...	10	5	5	5	5	...

† Period of 6 weeks ended 2nd January, 1960 (including 10 days miners' annual leave holidays).

23. Index of Consumption of Gas and Electricity, Sydney

Base for each month : Average sales in the month in the three years, 1929 to 1931 = 100

Month	Average 1929 to 1931	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964
January	100	324	335	350	376	399	435	429
February	100	336	353	377	402	420	439	462
March	100	334	345	389	393	421	433	459
April	100	321	353	367	385	407	428	476
May	100	324	356	410	428	463	460	502
June	100	353	396	443	441	458	495	556
July	100	367	390	423	447	474	517	551
August	100	354	390	447	460	491	517	547
September	100	370	384	421	440	438	489	516
October	100	354	394	413	407	453	477	
November	100	346	367	420	431	446	472	
December	100	350	393	410	408	404	460	
Year	100	345	372	407	420	441	470	

FACTORY PRODUCTS, NEW SOUTH WALES Figures for July, 1963 and later periods are subject to revision.

24. Production of Food and Drink

Period	Butter *	Cheese *	Milk		Bacon and Ham *†	Jams (including Conserve, Fruit Spreads, etc.)	Fruit, Canned or Bottled	Vegetables, Canned or Bottled†
			Concen- trated and Con- densed†	Powdered (All Types)				
	Thousand lb.							
Year: 1960-61	76,152	11,863	23,165	55,601	25,239	23,105	32,420	43,368
1961-62	87,346	13,336	21,863	63,425	27,247	23,808	57,798	55,175
1962-63	80,568	11,881	14,599	61,974	28,731	24,642	60,243	57,709
1963-64	80,880	11,527	19,148	62,761	30,249	24,603	59,904r	62,062
1963-64: July-Oct.	21,356	3,860	6,370	19,272	9,598	7,488	2,880	17,614
1964-65: July-Oct.	22,073	3,508	8,328	20,197	9,580	8,011	2,346	16,312
1963: May	3,586	605	1,115	2,849	2,491	2,341	1,078	3,564
June	2,551	506	1,146	3,149	2,179	1,361	940	3,073
July	2,824	556	1,435	3,617	2,418	2,178	1,069r	3,626
August	3,932	808	1,271	3,892	2,138	2,493	562r	3,275
September	5,973	1,080	1,816	4,862	2,259	1,422	577	3,444
October	8,627	1,416	1,848	6,901	2,783	1,395	672	7,269
1964: May	3,633	476	1,736	3,672	2,248	2,330	1,018	4,633
June	2,840	401	1,953	3,478	2,248	1,839	1,176r	3,944
July	3,149	517	1,698	3,846	2,247	2,525	724	4,034
August	4,110	681	1,842	4,104	2,218	2,361	506	3,546
September	5,954	947	2,345	5,327	2,684	1,408	522	3,241
October	8,860	1,363	2,443	6,920	2,431	1,717	594	5,491

Period	Flour, White (including Sharps)	Bran (Wheaten)	Pollard (Wheaten)	Biscuits \$	Confectionery (excl. Coverture)		Ice Cream and Other Frozen Dairy Foods||	Beer and Stout
					Chocolate	Other		
	Short tons (2,000 lb.)				Thous. lb.	Thousand lb.		Thous. gal.	Thous. gal.
Year: 1960-61	568,372	87,182	126,928	79,626	25,528	40,455	7,966	96,522
1961-62	533,451	79,578	119,944	77,693	23,125	42,781	8,873	98,538
1962-63	508,534	75,003	116,540	78,605	23,749	42,245	9,841	102,889
1963-64	600,532	89,686	137,096	82,876	26,522	43,795	10,798	109,004
1963-64: July-Oct.	185,099	26,780	42,185	28,003	8,914	16,411	3,001	34,981
1964-65: July-Oct.	185,885	27,359	42,060	30,104	9,376	16,546	3,399	37,229
1963: May	49,092	7,547	11,067	8,417	3,044	3,699	626	8,395
June	39,528	5,487	8,906	6,257	2,650	3,075	416	6,612
July	47,085	6,649	10,642	7,298	2,952	4,061	471	7,783
August	46,010	6,746	10,493	6,970	2,439	3,796	686	7,794
September	41,180	5,847	9,301	6,335	1,719	4,017	864	8,842
October	50,824	7,538	11,749	7,400	1,804	4,537	980	10,562
1964: May	52,501	8,050	11,577	7,117	3,183	3,328	659	7,800
June	48,620	7,259	10,814	7,542	3,019	3,274	569	7,730
July	52,219	7,545	11,897	7,987	2,944	4,156	626	8,522
August	42,969	6,413	9,716	7,234	2,209	4,028	768	8,430
September	46,285	6,764	10,347	7,389	2,147	4,031	1,050	10,407
October	44,412	6,637	10,100	7,494	2,076	4,331	955	9,870

* Production in factories only.

† Includes liquid ice cream mix.

‡ "Bone-in" weight basis.

†† Includes pickled vegetables (other than "pickles" and chutney).

§ Excludes ice cream cones.

|| "Other Frozen Dairy Foods" include milk blocks, milk-based sherbets, and soft-serve mixes, etc. containing less than 10 per cent. butter-fat.

25. Production of Metals, Coal, and Energy

Period	Coal *	Pig Iron	Steel Ingots	Gas (Town)	Electricity		
					Hydro	Thermal	Total
					Thousand tons			Thousand therms†	Million kWh
Year: 1960-61	18,237	2,712‡	3,724‡	124,670	1,075	8,924	9,999
1961-62	19,083	3,082‡	4,055‡	123,695	1,421	9,262	10,683
1962-63	18,725	3,153‡	4,238‡	122,013	2,550	9,638	12,188
1963-64	20,292	3,580	4,789	121,181	2,480	11,301	13,781
1963-64: July-Oct.	7,193	1,206	1,599	46,580	943	3,742	4,685
1964-65: July-Oct.	7,382	1,299	1,739	48,048	1,330	3,902	5,232
1963: May	1,721	274	376	10,883	215	899	1,114
June	1,584	244	350	12,107	220	930	1,150
July	1,976	287	398	13,115	293	995	1,288
August	1,711	321	423	12,565	248	992	1,240
September	1,594	299	395	10,816	181	901	1,082
October	1,912	299	383	10,084	221	854	1,075
1964: May	1,823	266	395	11,203	203	1,097	1,300
June	1,853	302	418	12,365	230	1,136	1,366
July	2,065	335	436	13,643	278	1,168	1,446
August	1,764	337	447	12,987	354	1,016	1,370
September	1,642	318	444	10,858	345	877	1,222
October	1,911	309	412	10,560	353	841	1,194

* Monthly totals are approximate. † One therm = 100,000 British Thermal Units. ‡ Year ended 31st May.

26. Production of Textiles and Clothing

Period	Spun Yarn*				Woven Cloth*			
	Wool		Cotton	Rayon and Synthetic Fibres	Wool		Cotton (incl. Towels)	Rayon and Synthetic Fibres
	Worsted	Woollen			Worsted	Woollen†		
	Thousand lb.				Thousand sq. yards			
Year: 1960-61	6,077	5,851	21,117	1,526	5,826	4,089	22,771	11,650
1961-62	6,238	4,907	21,275	1,450	5,279	3,671	21,799	10,929
1962-63	6,430	5,716	23,168	1,456	6,492	4,325	23,011	14,663
1963-64	6,001	6,217	26,993r	1,719	5,634	5,548	26,693	15,544r
1963-64: July-Oct.	2,030	1,941	8,766	536	2,250	1,616	8,466	5,233
1964-65: July-Oct.	2,326	2,229	10,958	830	2,113	1,698	10,647	6,092
1963: May	539	480	1,994	147	602	420	1,971	1,251
June	487	429	2,046	107	461	300	2,041	1,467
July	514	478	2,277	150	598	308	2,148	1,375
August	461	409	2,049	129	571	362	2,113	1,298
September	458	434	2,133	126	507	364	1,998	1,303
October	597	620	2,307	131	574	582	2,207	1,257
1964: May	497	532	2,539	170	466	398	2,412	1,444r
June	597	569	2,646r	164	516	492	2,494	1,504r
July	526	519	2,971	230	566	444	2,621	1,380
August	541	492	2,565	200	491	364	2,510	1,489
September	673	606	2,865	211	557	409	2,755	1,526
October	585	612	2,557	189	499	481	2,761	1,697

Period	Hosiery			Underwear		Shirts		Gloves, Work ‡
	Men's	Women's	Children's and Infants'	Men's, Youths', and Boys'	Women's, Maids', and Girls'	Men's, Youths', and Boys'		
						Knitted	Woven	
	Dozen pairs			Dozen		Dozen			Doz. pair
Year: 1960-61	204,979	581,970	114,362	1,035,705	1,611,226	249,582	563,945	242,970
1961-62	106,273	577,535	106,238	1,073,014	1,514,697	158,797	548,721	218,044
1962-63	79,583	593,605	115,068	1,141,634	1,512,910	185,824	678,238	268,014
1963-64	95,035	708,653	90,489	1,128,082	1,557,290	211,753	675,728	329,727r
1963-64: July-Sept.	21,062	202,181	26,092	288,867	435,386	67,227	187,836	91,365
1964-65: July-Sept.	23,554	187,617	29,971	358,320	420,751	83,474	196,778	92,510
1963: April	5,610	48,142	9,888	73,449	114,870	10,596	52,813	18,382
May	6,923	52,152	12,515	99,109	136,349	12,783	63,974	23,249
June	6,084	50,689	10,316	85,865	129,764	13,900	57,598	24,443
July	7,602	67,754	10,714	100,774	147,600	24,060	64,801	29,241
August	7,058	67,737	7,932	91,048	141,155	22,433	62,380	32,155
September	6,402	66,690	7,446	97,045	145,631	20,734	60,655	29,969
1964: April	9,876	61,058	7,971	103,582	124,863	19,065	57,417	27,287
May	8,247	56,015	9,131	93,052	117,526	15,623	54,689	29,239
June	7,823	54,422	8,821	92,045	125,480	24,086	53,723	28,618
July	7,630	66,282	10,159	112,879	139,568	29,614r	66,523r	32,081
August	8,384	58,901	9,064	109,747	134,987	25,825	60,937r	30,015
September	7,540	62,434	10,748	135,694	146,196	28,035	69,318	30,414

Period	Men's and Youths' Outer Clothing			Cardigans, Pullovers, etc. (Knitted)		Footwear§		
	Suits	Sports Coats and Blazers¶	Sports Trousers	Men's, Youths', and Boys'	Women's, Maids', and Girls'	Men's and Youths'	Women's, and Maids'	Boys', Girls', and Infants'
	Number			Dozen		Thousand pairs		
Year: 1960-61	390,453	165,124	2,036,838	86,744	139,697	2,894	5,029	2,108
1961-62	378,849	146,265	1,827,139	71,972	125,494	2,880	4,626	1,992
1962-63	418,920	146,441	2,032,888	76,036	139,784	3,151	4,954	2,145
1963-64	431,116	142,372	2,192,778	80,984	162,332	3,338r	5,269	2,146
1963-64: July-Sept.	114,313	36,019	532,774	13,356	41,302	891	1,508	580
1964-65: July-Sept.	124,709	32,058	633,925	14,940	36,491	970	1,494	657
1963: April	35,294	11,347	149,627	9,040	13,993	252	394	172
May	36,604	15,670	181,354	9,005	14,079	286	447	201
June	30,374	13,436	147,624	5,786	12,788	233	380	174
July	36,862	11,892	175,932	5,439	14,857	295	508	192
August	38,150	12,366	175,247	3,672	13,820	290	509	204
September	39,301	11,761	181,595	4,245	12,625	306	491	184
1964: April	36,324	15,725	205,065	11,222	17,319	303	483	205
May	35,806	12,141	191,846	8,959	16,093	291	406	193
June	38,748	11,354	224,733	6,643	13,920	296	397	161
July	39,090	9,982	202,934	5,277	12,850	322	508	219
August	39,724	10,326	186,150	5,253	11,688	326	469	203
September	45,895	11,750	244,841	4,410	11,953	296	517	235

* Mixtures are included with the predominant fibre.

† Includes blankets and rugs.

‡ From July, 1961, includes rubber work gloves.

§ Excludes Bermuda Jackets, 794 of which were produced in September, 1964.

§ Excludes rubber footwear and plastic rainboots.

27. Production of Building Materials

Period	Timber, Sawn (Native)*	Bricks, Clay (excl. brickettes)	Tiles, Roofing (Terra Cotta and Cement)	Fibrous Plaster Sheets	Cement, Portland	Paints (not water) and Enamels, Ready for Use†		Water Paints, Plastic Latex Type
						Architectural and Decorative	Industrial	
	Million sup. ft.	Thousands	Thousands	Thousand sq. yds.	Tons	Thousand gallons		
Year: 1960-61	390.9	463,734	43,124	5,542	1,167,724	3,909	1,837	1,148
1961-62	364.5	431,748	40,849	4,648	1,053,186	4,083	1,994	1,282
1962-63	376.8	454,644	40,788	4,544	1,067,628	3,946	2,203	1,382
1963-64	407.5	503,518	46,297	4,235	1,231,498	4,211	2,517	1,490
1963-64: July-Oct.	137.3	172,847	16,051	1,524	428,547	1,413	829	546
1964-65: July-Oct.	151.6	193,373	18,223	1,390	456,337	1,542	946	607
1963: May	30.4	38,586	3,740	371	89,723	328	206	117
June	28.2	36,147	3,213	356	92,391	234	165	96
July	29.2	43,741	4,011	396	101,624	302	196	144
August	37.9	41,892	3,942	365	115,613	358	213	127
September	34.9	40,878	3,765	376	98,567	346	182	120
October	35.3	46,336	4,333	387	112,743	407	238	155
1964: May	32.9	44,606	4,216	334	106,270	357	224	126
June	39.9	42,350	3,803	323	100,679	338	207	102
July	35.1	47,521	4,651	357	105,707	398	236	136
August	40.4	47,637	4,301	353	118,192	346	225	134
September	36.8	50,495	4,666	346	114,861	417	265	172
October	39.3	47,720	4,605	334	117,577	381	220	165

* Includes sawn sleepers.

† Includes primers and undercoats, but excludes bituminous paints and marine anti-fouling and anti-corrosive compositions.

28. Production of Household Appliances

Period	Electric Stoves, Domestic Cooking (Fixed)*	Toasters (Electric)	Wash Boilers (Gas and Electric)	Sink Heaters (Gas and Electric)	Bath Heaters (All Types)	Hot Water Systems (All Types)	
						Storage†	Instanta- neous
Number							
Year: 1960-61	45,663	125,545	17,783	8,093	30,398	39,588	28,340
1961-62	43,403	96,636	15,051	7,495	30,078	41,531	22,354
1962-63	59,347	151,416	12,796	6,979	26,495	49,193	16,690
1963-64	64,817	160,491	12,948	7,460 _r	26,354	61,630 _r	15,741
1963-64: July-Oct.	22,553	60,864	4,717	3,220	10,208	22,413	5,987
1964-65: July-Oct.	29,377	60,324	5,150	3,137	9,475	28,912	5,869
1963: May	5,238	16,922	1,064	777	2,422	4,894	1,295
June	4,063	11,872	909	612	2,173	4,068	1,174
July	5,792	15,419	1,385	713	2,656	5,299 _r	1,714
August	5,226	14,136	1,098	863	2,293	5,770 _r	1,482
September	5,753	14,875	1,168	845	2,481	5,429 _r	1,385
October	5,782	16,434	1,066	799	2,778	5,915	1,406
1964: May	5,619	15,864	1,054	545	2,214	6,028 _r	1,025
June	6,290	12,953	1,048	670 _r	2,239	6,038 _r	1,260
July	6,810	17,186	1,322	917	2,808	8,063	1,630
August	6,818	9,728	1,362	760	2,276	7,392	1,444
September	7,779	18,992	1,226	632	2,315	6,946	1,455
October	7,970	14,418	1,240	828	2,076	6,511	1,340

Period	Refrigerators (Domestic)	Clothes Washing Machines (Electric, Domestic)	Radio and Television Cabinets (All Types)	Radio Receiving Sets		Radiograms	Television Receiving Sets
				Portable and Car	Mantel, Table, and Console		
Number							
Year: 1960-61	102,619	94,386	379,600	211,490	56,899	40,783	221,469
1961-62	96,374	113,267	318,250	156,367	58,068	40,645	196,897
1962-63	95,619	95,632	324,198	201,660	71,594	50,542	187,492
1963-64	103,290	114,062	302,575	216,859	31,261	48,013	178,953
1963-64: July-Oct.	40,468	41,510	107,189	70,863	12,956	16,105	64,156
1964-65: July-Oct.	37,474	52,229	113,889	80,483	11,009	17,792	79,371
1963: May	5,830	9,717	21,838	17,182	2,828	3,514	19,190
June	6,893	10,359	30,196	10,573	2,600	2,888	14,501
July	8,543	10,847	27,311	12,960	3,443	3,448	16,390
August	10,369	9,964	23,040	14,592	2,311	3,811	16,467
September	10,369	10,758	21,173	19,166	2,729	4,137	16,256
October	11,187	9,941	35,665	24,145	4,473	4,709	15,043
1964: May	6,291	10,689	22,412	10,081	2,361	4,553	22,192
June	6,023	8,766	30,383	7,971	2,437	4,335	18,368
July	7,543	12,962	27,105	13,085	2,334	4,460	21,869
August	7,943	12,644	29,527	16,520	2,523	4,293	19,783
September	10,443	13,626	28,758	20,190	2,652	4,408	19,058
October	11,545	12,997	28,499	30,688	3,500	4,631	18,661

* Includes wall ovens, but excludes stovettes and grill boilers.

† Includes heat exchange (coil) type.

29. Production of Miscellaneous Products

Period	Electric Motors			Motor Bodies*		Synthetic Resins (dry weight)
	Under 1 h.p.		1 h.p. and over	Car	Other	
	½ h.p. and under	Over ½ h.p.				
	Number					
Year: 1960-61	1,055,790	207,309	64,452	69,705	17,386	
1961-62	909,720	216,776	40,139	81,944	14,195	803,548
1962-63	1,021,756	257,690	50,319	112,724	14,424	866,983
1963-64	1,198,139	300,398	57,490	113,008	19,985	1,031,980
1963-64: July-Oct.	397,042	113,779	23,032	40,458	6,842	1,097,523
1964-65: July-Oct.	480,296	147,146	20,181	36,108	8,535	349,152
1963: May	99,651	20,509	5,484	10,802	1,735	433,563
June	89,729	20,212	4,378	8,409	1,734	89,007
July	96,106	27,319	5,181	10,196	2,203	80,791
August	87,474	27,638	6,708	10,377	1,452	72,132
September	100,733	28,097	5,767	9,747	1,402	87,271
October	112,729	30,725	5,376	10,138	1,785	93,163
1964: May	108,436	20,606	4,319	10,191	2,010	96,586
June	104,921	24,816	5,932	10,123	1,990	102,119
July	123,460	35,206	5,029	10,636	2,408	96,120
August	114,602	36,290	4,913	9,170	2,081	98,488
September	124,073	35,759	4,800	10,310	2,370	111,630
October	118,161	39,891	5,439	5,992	1,676	119,087
						106,121

Period	Soap and Synthetic Detergents			Coconut Oil (Crude)	Meat and Bone Meals	Oilseed Meals
	Personal Toilet Use	Household, Commercial, and General Washing Purposes	Industrial Use			
Cwt.			Thous. lb.			
Year: 1960-61	310,174	1,104,336	146,652	40,867	105,272	56,362
1961-62	314,199	1,128,786	127,446	41,887	118,908	40,817
1962-63	333,973	1,184,775	139,963	45,196	139,144	43,958
1963-64	338,763	1,257,375r	153,716	42,897	146,874r	64,119
1963-64: July-Oct.	117,634	408,571	51,252	16,345	47,084	21,813
1964-65: July-Oct.	127,006	424,671	61,692	16,406	46,710	20,663
1963: May	34,285	98,419	12,019	4,221	13,084	4,386
June	26,448	95,958	10,208	2,960	11,411	3,726
July	32,744	104,034r	12,542	4,507	12,576	5,497
August	28,855	90,431r	12,698	4,433	11,292	6,599
September	28,529	101,565r	14,136	4,089	11,280	5,342
October	27,506	112,541	11,786	3,316	11,936	4,375
1964: May	31,633	98,374r	13,940	3,469	13,675r	6,468
June	31,451	93,715r	12,986	3,969	12,619r	5,865
July	33,992r	117,422r	16,986	4,580	12,441r	5,704
August	33,129	94,985r	13,225	4,143	11,677	4,521
September	28,004	96,154r	15,196	3,300	11,818	5,096
October	31,881	116,110	16,285	4,383	10,774	5,342

Period	Batteries (wet cell)			Mattresses		
	S.L.I.†		Other	Wire‡	Inner Spring	Other
	6 volt	12 volt				
	Number					
Year: 1960-61	385,905	520,393	175,507	186,120	237,793	53,731
1961-62	362,622	542,993	167,278	217,387	257,310	54,319
1962-63	395,992	628,776	173,049	207,713r	255,751	49,673
1963-64	381,877	649,144	152,636	238,876	269,766	50,863
1963-64: July-Oct.	126,937	215,019	57,447	81,946	92,559	16,736
1964-65: July-Oct.	117,534	227,683	60,644	79,557	94,679	19,050
1963: May	42,724	68,200	18,278	19,227r	23,760	3,637
June	36,453	60,586	15,531	14,268r	18,406	3,387
July	36,416	63,250	15,584	17,593	21,291	3,920
August	30,490	57,373	14,487	20,152	23,506	4,008
September	26,609	44,354	13,520	20,411	21,648	4,115
October	33,422	50,042	13,856	23,790	26,114	4,693
1964: May	35,584	63,173	11,192	19,559	22,871	4,973
June	35,005	65,761	14,711	16,708	21,060	4,637
July	33,335	57,792	18,711	16,781	23,339	4,581
August	29,785	66,545	16,188	19,818	22,410	4,508
September	29,427	66,372	14,239	21,140	24,088	5,183r
October	24,987	36,974	11,506	21,818	24,842	4,778

* Includes body portion of mono-constructed vehicles, but excludes cabins and conversions.

† Starting, lighting, and ignition.

‡ Includes wire stretchers and box spring mattresses.

BUILDING ACTIVITY IN NEW SOUTH WALES

Notes. 1. Building is classified as private or government according to ownership.

2. Figures of building approved have been compiled from (a) permits issued by local government authorities to build in that part of the State (covering all municipalities and the larger residential areas within shires) subject to building control by local authorities, and (b) contracts let or work commenced and day labour projects authorised by governmental authorities. Some building in rural areas is excluded.

3. The value of building jobs approved represents the estimated value of the whole job when completed, excluding the value of the land on which the job is carried out.

30. Value of Building Jobs* Approved: Areas of N.S.W.

Period	Metropolis	Balance of Cumber- land	Newcastle Urban Area	Greater Wollon- gong	Rest of N.S.W.	Total, N.S.W.		
						Private	Govern- ment	Total
£ thousand								
Year: 1959-60	157,185	9,185	12,695	10,710	44,078	198,595	35,258	233,853
1960-61	147,482	12,104	10,033	9,651	46,008	187,191	38,087	225,278
1961-62	151,639	8,602	9,720	8,304	47,148	179,144	46,269	225,413
1962-63	158,654	8,717	11,016	12,875	54,182	194,345	51,099	245,444
1963-64	186,574	10,000	11,567	10,440	64,685	219,004	64,262	283,266
1963-64: July-Oct.	65,909	4,045	4,075	2,952	20,570	77,771	19,780	97,551
1964-65: July-Oct.	67,055	4,030	4,063	4,182	24,362	81,128	22,564	103,692
1963: July	14,025	786	1,171	631	4,298	18,664	2,247	20,911
August	19,327	1,123	768	1,230	5,983	23,594	4,837	28,431
September	17,350	1,103	1,308	523	5,457	16,466	9,275	25,741
October	15,207	1,033	828	568	4,832	19,047	3,421	22,468
1964: July	16,289	1,068	1,103	1,171	6,420	19,850	6,201	26,051
August	19,963	995	1,008	764	6,410	24,319	4,821	29,140
September	16,971	1,179	743	903	6,337	19,386	6,747	26,133
October	13,832	788	1,209	1,344	5,195	17,573	4,795	22,368

* Includes alterations and additions to existing buildings.

31. Value of Building Jobs* Approved: Class of Building

Period	Houses	Flats	Shops	Offices and Banks	Factories	Edu- cational	Other Classes	Total, All Classes
	£ thousand							
	DIVISION OF CUMBERLAND							
Year: 1959-60	71,549	23,589	8,495	18,287	14,552	11,177	18,721	166,370
1960-61	65,882	22,002	11,702	9,705	19,937	10,330	20,028	159,586
1961-62	64,729	13,592	11,217	28,514	15,575	6,775	19,839	160,241
1962-63	65,701	16,219	11,104	27,498	14,765	7,371	24,713	167,371
1963-64	77,177	32,078	5,481	24,905	15,809	15,493	25,631	196,574
1963-64: July-Oct.	26,447	8,906	1,949	15,568	4,507	6,059	6,518	69,954
1964-65: July-Oct.	28,966	16,135	3,252	4,052	6,436	4,502	7,742	71,085
1963: July	6,203	1,990	701	2,304	1,014	672	1,927	14,811
August	6,541	2,186	534	7,064	1,121	1,656	1,348	20,450
September	7,035	2,651	284	4,064	930	1,828	1,661	18,453
October	6,668	2,079	430	2,136	1,442	1,903	1,582	16,240
1964: July	6,842	4,317	382	1,490	1,407	557	2,362	17,357
August	7,675	4,442	2,207	1,513	1,807	1,412	1,902	20,958
September	8,008	3,735	311	684	2,078	1,348	1,986	18,150
October	6,441	3,641	352	365	1,144	1,185	1,492	14,620

NEW SOUTH WALES

Year: 1959-60	107,181	25,679	11,340	20,485	20,718	15,510	32,940	233,853
1960-61	101,697	24,379	15,224	11,656	23,202	13,904	35,216	225,278
1961-62	101,760	16,097	13,737	30,561	18,469	12,841	31,948	225,413
1962-63	108,238	19,114	13,838	29,815	22,218	13,046	39,175	245,444
1963-64	122,794	35,847	9,383	26,691	20,782	24,645	43,124	283,266
1963-64: July-Oct.	41,809	10,331	3,634	15,890	5,536	8,985	11,366	97,551
1964-65: July-Oct.	45,617	17,816	4,251	4,824	8,646	7,509	15,029	103,692
1963: July	9,615	2,288	1,123	2,396	1,325	1,069	3,095	20,911
August	10,742	2,538	809	7,145	1,344	2,940	2,913	28,431
September	11,127	3,110	1,040	4,153	1,156	2,513	2,642	25,741
October	10,325	2,395	662	2,196	1,711	2,463	2,716	22,468
1964: July	11,090	4,932	638	1,854	2,019	1,209	4,309	26,051
August	12,044	4,768	2,496	1,626	2,243	2,131	3,832	29,140
September	12,233	3,992	465	820	2,470	1,918	4,235	26,133
October	10,250	4,124	652	524	1,914	2,251	2,653	22,368

* Includes alterations and additions to existing buildings.

32. New House and Flat Building, New South Wales: Number of Dwelling Units

Period	Approved†			Commenced			Completed			Under Construction*		
	Houses	Flats	Houses and Flats	Houses	Flats	Houses and Flats	Houses	Flats	Houses and Flats	Houses	Flats	Houses and Flats
PRIVATE												
Year: 1958-59	27,026	3,274	30,300	22,601	2,344	24,945	24,407	1,622	26,029	13,938	1,560	15,498
1959-60	29,365	8,973	38,338	25,273	4,786	30,059	25,994	3,425	29,419	13,217	2,916	16,133
1960-61	24,410	7,773	32,183	23,899	7,093	30,992	26,540	6,244	32,784	10,576	3,765	14,341
1961-62	22,558	4,418	26,976	21,241	4,277	25,518	22,241	4,750	26,991	9,576	3,292	12,868
1962-63	23,412	6,511	29,923	21,331	5,419	26,750	21,727	5,037	26,764	9,180	3,674	12,854
1962: Sept. Qr.	6,573	1,628	8,201	5,568	1,342	6,910	5,359	1,152	6,511	9,785	3,482	13,267
Dec. Qr.	5,309	1,456	6,765	5,227	1,335	6,562	5,980	1,224	7,204	9,032	3,593	12,625
1963: Mar. Qr.	5,580	1,406	6,986	5,187	1,305	6,492	5,196	1,119	6,315	9,023	3,779	12,802
June Qr.	5,950	2,021	7,971	5,349	1,437	6,786	5,192	1,542	6,734	9,180	3,674	12,854
Sept. Qr.	6,408	2,697	9,105	5,887	2,172	8,059	5,303	1,453	6,756	9,764	4,393	14,157
Dec. Qr.	6,219	2,770	8,989	5,708	2,062	7,770	5,782	1,565	7,347	9,690	4,890	14,580
1964: Mar. Qr.	5,771	2,868	8,639	5,916	2,396	8,312	5,515	1,779	7,294	10,091	5,507	15,598
June Qr.	6,528	3,875	10,403	5,631	3,027	8,658	5,574	2,097	7,671	10,148	6,437	16,585
Sept. Qr. p	6,882	4,598	11,480	5,832	3,474	9,306	5,605	2,390	7,995	10,375	7,521	17,896

GOVERNMENT

Year: 1958-59	3,890	953	4,843	4,030	511	4,541	3,688	313	4,001	2,144	461	2,605
1959-60	2,873	600	3,473	2,794	958	3,752	3,544	445	3,989	1,394	974	2,368
1960-61	3,844	674	4,518	3,755	485	4,240	3,238	375	3,613	1,911	1,084	2,995
1961-62	4,335	1,329	5,664	4,117	650	4,767	4,170	1,188	5,358	1,858	546	2,404
1962-63	3,980	797	4,777	3,814	1,311	5,125	3,864	716	4,580	1,808	1,141	2,949
1962: Sept. Qr.	978	212	1,190	1,203	232	1,435	981	99	1,080	2,080	679	2,759
Dec. Qr.	962	202	1,164	909	785	1,694	1,094	214	1,308	1,895	1,250	3,145
1963: Mar. Qr.	723	100	823	787	146	933	894	279	1,173	1,788	1,117	2,905
June Qr.	1,317	283	1,600	915	148	1,063	895	124	1,019	1,808	1,141	2,949
Sept. Qr.	1,341	264	1,605	1,049	132	1,181	875	127	1,002	1,982	1,146	3,128
Dec. Qr.	1,194	127	1,321	1,130	78	1,208	1,038	196	1,234	2,074	1,028	3,102
1964: Mar. Qr.	1,100	348	1,448	1,389	217	1,606	807	332	1,139	2,656	913	3,569
June Qr.	1,608	366	1,974	1,247	126	1,373	1,060	227	1,287	2,843	812	3,655
Sept. Qr. p	1,199	350	1,549	1,507	970	2,477	1,189	198	1,387	3,161	1,584	4,745

PRIVATE AND GOVERNMENT

Year: 1958-59	30,916	4,227	35,143	26,631	2,855	29,486	28,095	1,935	30,030	16,082	2,021	18,103
1959-60	32,238	9,573	41,811	28,067	5,744	33,811	29,538	3,870	33,408	14,611	3,890	18,501
1960-61	28,254	8,447	36,701	27,654	7,578	35,232	29,778	6,619	36,397	12,487	4,849	17,336
1961-62	26,893	5,747	32,640	25,358	4,927	30,285	26,411	5,938	32,349	11,434	3,838	15,272
1962-63	27,392	7,308	34,700	25,145	6,730	31,875	25,591	5,753	31,344	10,988	4,815	15,803
1962: Sept. Qr.	7,551	1,840	9,391	6,771	1,574	8,345	6,340	1,251	7,591	11,865	4,161	16,026
Dec. Qr.	6,271	1,658	7,929	6,136	2,120	8,256	7,074	1,438	8,512	10,927	4,843	15,770
1963: Mar. Qr.	6,303	1,506	7,809	5,974	1,451	7,425	6,090	1,398	7,488	10,811	4,896	15,707
June Qr.	7,267	2,304	9,571	6,264	1,585	7,849	6,087	1,666	7,753	10,988	4,815	15,803
Sept. Qr.	7,749	2,961	10,710	6,936	2,304	9,240	6,178	1,580	7,758	11,746	5,539	17,285
Dec. Qr.	7,413	2,897	10,310	6,838	2,140	8,978	6,820	1,761	8,581	11,764	5,918	17,682
1964: Mar. Qr.	6,871	3,216	10,087	7,305	2,613	9,918	6,322	2,111	8,433	12,747	6,420	19,167
June Qr.	8,136	4,241	12,377	6,878	3,153	10,031	6,634	2,324	8,958	12,991	7,249	20,240
Sept. Qr. p	8,081	4,948	13,029	7,339	4,444	11,783	6,794	2,588	9,382	13,536	9,105	22,641

* At end of period.

† "Private approved"—local government permits to build; "Government approved"—contracts let and day labour projects authorised by governmental authorities. Statistics of dwellings approved are available monthly; figures for current months are as follows:—

Owner-ship	Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
New Houses and Flats Approved: Number of Dwelling Units													
Private	1963	2,214	2,376	2,396	2,531	2,755	2,685	2,786	3,093	3,226	3,122	3,330	2,537
	1964	2,810	2,589	3,240	3,545	3,176	3,682	3,646	3,949	3,885	3,073		
Govt.	1963	141	358	324	528	645	427	322	514	769	342	554	425
	1964	419	641	388	711	710	553	725	405	419	711		
Total	1963	2,355	2,734	2,720	3,059	3,400	3,112	3,108	3,607	3,995	3,464	3,884	2,962
	1964	3,229	3,230	3,628	4,256	3,886	4,235	4,371	4,354	4,304	3,784		

33. Broadcast Listeners' and TV Viewers' Licences*, N.S.W.† and Australia

At end of Month	Broadcast Listeners' Licences		Television Viewers' Licences		At end of Month	Broadcast Listeners' Licences		Television Viewers' Licences	
	N.S.W.	Australia	N.S.W.	Australia		N.S.W.	Australia	N.S.W.	Australia
	Thousands					Thousands			
1959: June	827	2,264	301	578	1963: Dec.	820	2,281	662	1,698
1960: June	833	2,283	409	955	1964: Jan.	816	2,279	664	1,710
1961: June	826	2,256	489	1,217	Feb.	821	2,288	670	1,726
1962: June	812	2,219	555	1,378	Mar.	819	2,271	672	1,725
1963: June	802	2,238	619	1,584	Apr.	825	2,295	683	1,756
					May	812	2,268	678	1,750
1963: July	811	2,267	635	1,624	June	822	2,300	692	1,789
Aug.	814	2,266	643	1,640	July	819	2,284	695	1,794
Sept.	815	2,273	648	1,658	Aug.	816	2,283	703	1,818
Oct.	818	2,275	653	1,673	Sept.	822	2,295	709	1,845
Nov.	815	2,269	655	1,681					

* Annual licences. Excludes licences issued for periods less than a year for broadcast or TV receivers under hire; such licences were first issued in July, 1961.

† Includes A.C.T.

34. N.S.W. Government Railways, and Tramways and Omnibuses

Period	Railways				Tramways and Omnibuses†		
	Earnings	Working Expenses*	Passenger Journeys	Goods Carried (excluding livestock)	Earnings	Working Expenses‡	Omnibus Mileage
	£ thousand	£ thousand	Thousands	Thous. tons	£ thousand	£ thousand	Thousands
Year: 1957-58	74,433	71,555	258,610	17,802	13,821	13,872	35,134
1958-59	75,931	70,333	254,055	18,979	13,260	13,603	39,789
1959-60	83,563	76,491	254,590	21,460	12,960	13,714	41,005
1960-61	89,751	79,556	253,533	23,588	12,685	13,927	43,740
1961-62	88,351	79,605	252,719	23,538	12,543	13,752	44,993
1962-63	91,241	79,326	257,756	23,164	12,385	13,238	44,034
1963-64	101,244	88,708	263,796	25,335	12,405	13,193	44,398
1963: March	7,470	6,507	21,883	1,853	1,096	1,127	3,771
April	7,636	6,377	22,527	1,806	1,026	1,051	3,662
May	7,883	6,771	21,771	2,048	1,061	1,119	3,787
June	8,766	6,436	21,389	1,973	976	1,198	3,643
July	8,229	6,762	22,683	2,228	1,072	1,120	3,988
August	7,631	6,583	21,771	1,975	1,066	1,119	3,915
September	8,335	6,504	23,112	2,069	1,029	1,084	3,725
1964: March	8,727	6,658	23,541	2,087	1,040	1,071	3,508
April	8,667	6,562	21,578	2,186	1,030	1,084	3,792
May	8,512	6,993	22,471	2,128	1,052	1,120	3,754
June	9,931	8,303	22,697	2,202	1,056	1,244	3,731
July	8,688	6,959	21,357	2,406	1,044	1,149	3,902
August	8,734	7,385	23,700	2,228	1,039	1,145	3,888
September	8,795	7,435	21,624	2,161	1,029	1,097	3,635

* Annual figures include provisions for renewals and accrued liability to the Railways Retirement Fund. Figures for other periods exclude these provisions, which were made in June.

† The progressive conversion of tramway services to omnibus operation was completed in February, 1961.

‡ Excludes current depreciation.

35. Motor Vehicles on the Register* in New South Wales

End of Month	Cars		Trucks, etc.† and Station Waggon	Tourist Vehicles	Omni-buses	Total of foregoing	Motor Cycles and Scooters	Tractors ‡	Trailers
	Taxicabs, Hire Cars	Other							
1959: June	4,601	585,091	286,616	82	3,997	880,387	32,575	17,622	70,716
1960: June	4,605	623,467	310,583	78	4,171	942,904	28,773	19,165	81,476
1961: June	4,636	659,307	331,725	90	4,365	1,000,123	24,396	20,952	92,801
1962: June	4,650	697,419	351,414	96	4,389	1,057,968	21,772	22,848	104,881
1963: June	4,662	740,152	375,788	78	4,495	1,125,175	19,516	24,298	116,095
1963: April	4,664	734,445	372,210	78	4,489	1,115,886	20,034	24,149	114,948
May	4,663	737,227	374,340	78	4,486	1,120,794	19,733	24,224	115,607
June	4,662	740,152	375,788	78	4,495	1,125,175	19,516	24,298	116,095
July	4,676	744,139	377,561	77	4,511	1,130,964	19,316	24,342	116,636
August	4,671	749,116	379,554	77	4,520	1,137,938	19,184	24,421	117,535
September	4,662	753,534	381,882	73	4,518	1,144,669	18,987	24,496	118,350
1964: April	4,643	777,881	398,377	77	4,540	1,185,518	18,366	25,125	125,859
May	4,644	781,600	401,337	77	4,553	1,192,211	18,334	25,232	126,720
June	4,641	785,048	403,912	77	4,555	1,198,233	18,232	25,298	127,382
July	4,850	789,506	406,770	79	4,573	1,205,778	18,158	25,298	128,272
August	4,867	794,001	409,891	89	4,585	1,213,433	18,126	25,347	129,417
September	4,866	797,964	412,945	87	4,585	1,220,447	18,194	25,412	130,659

* Excludes vehicles of the Defence Services.

† Trucks, utilities, panel vans, loaders, graders, etc.

‡ Tractors used solely on farms are not required to be registered.

36. New Motor Vehicles Registered* in New South Wales: Types

Period	Cars			Station Waggon	Trucks, etc.†	Omni-buses and Tourist Vehicles	Total of fore-going	Motor Cycles and Scooters	Tractors ‡	Trailers
	Taxicabs, Hire Cars	Other	Total							
Year: 1961-62	1,080	66,860	67,940	17,830	19,023	185	104,978	1,393	1,705	14,823
1962-63	1,346	81,568	82,914	24,176	21,683	231	129,004	1,833	1,478	14,657
1963-64	1,193	91,868	93,061	26,860	25,098	256	145,275	1,921	1,410	15,184
¶ 1963-64: July-Sept.	365	24,868	25,233	6,678	6,284	65	38,260	337	295	3,153
¶ 1964-65: July-Sept.	576	24,931	25,507	7,463	7,507	62	40,539	586	325	4,173
1963: May	116	7,077	7,193	2,203	2,372	22	11,790	193	100	1,082
June	93	6,224	6,317	1,624	1,892	23	9,856	109	76	824
July	126	8,271	8,397	2,342	2,271	32	13,042	130	108	902
August	146	8,456	8,602	1,979	1,995	18	12,594	101	94	1,126
September	93	8,141	8,234	2,357	2,018	15	12,624	106	93	1,125
¶ 1964: May	114	7,672	7,786	2,306	2,400	20	12,512	200	147	1,196
June	94	7,540	7,634	2,189	2,434	17	12,274	188	143	1,003
July	322	8,748	9,070	2,585	2,670	26	14,351	189	133	1,240
August	153	8,409	8,562	2,608	2,306	14	13,490	160	79	1,409
September¶	101	7,774	7,875	2,270	2,531	22	12,698	237	113	1,524

* Excludes vehicles of the Defence Services.

† Trucks, utilities, panel vans, loaders, graders, etc.; excludes station waggons.

‡ Tractors used solely on farms are not required to be registered.

¶ See next two tables for later preliminary figures.

37. New Motor Cars and Station Waggon Registered* in N.S.W.: Principal Makes

Period	Austin	Chrysler	Ford	Hillman	Holden	Morris	Simca	Vauxhall	Volks-wagen	All Makes
CARS										
Year: 1961-62	2,004	1,351	9,627	2,105	25,544	8,615	1,779	1,927	7,304	67,940
1962-63	1,940	4,006	12,731	2,458	30,265	11,356	1,054	2,265	7,651	82,914
1963-64	1,165	6,468	12,453	2,863	33,216	13,465	660	2,367	9,652	93,061
¶ 1963-64: July-Oct.	455	2,802	4,263	623	13,216	4,517	246	819	2,886	33,537
¶ 1964-65: July-Oct.	256	2,872	4,620	1,171	11,527	4,558	143	1,199	3,145	33,843
¶ 1963: July	105	613	1,015	170	3,565	1,089	61	239	605	8,397
August	130	815	1,080	154	3,414	1,173	73	200	594	8,602
September	114	676	1,187	156	3,245	1,146	48	181	631	8,234
October	106	698	981	143	2,992	1,109	64	199	1,056	8,304
¶ 1964: July	66	726	1,310	310	3,227	1,170	39	346	842	9,070
August	55	678	1,247	375	2,889	1,200	38	305	795	8,562
September	64	689	1,035	253	2,442	1,085	36	274	771	7,875
October	71	779	1,028	233	2,969	1,103	30	274	737	8,336p

STATION WAGGONS

Year: 1961-62	690	...	3,674	511	11,759	267	445	...	7	17,830
1962-63	1,122	1	5,421	379	15,536	5	541	6	145	24,176
1963-64	560	1,616	4,322	371	17,536	6	270	31	899	26,860
¶ 1963-64: July-Oct.	242	...	1,599	136	6,250	2	115	1	292	8,981
¶ 1964-65: July-Oct.	125	1,330	1,281	86	6,387	1	54	18	328	10,153
¶ 1963: July	57	...	409	32	1,638	2	33	...	87	2,342
August	69	...	414	43	1,276	...	26	...	79	1,979
September	55	...	453	38	1,633	...	34	...	62	2,357
October	61	...	323	23	1,703	...	22	...	64	2,303
¶ 1964: July	30	328	351	21	1,638	1	13	10	90	2,585
August	38	329	367	21	1,622	...	22	4	79	2,608
September	34	319	275	29	1,361	...	12	3	80	2,270
October	23	354	288	15	1,766	...	7	1	79	2,690

* Excludes vehicles of the Defence Services.

38. New Trucks, etc. Registered* in New South Wales: Types

Period	Trucks, by Aggregate Weight (in cwt.‡)						Utilities	Panel Vans	Other¶
	Under 75	75 to 144	145 to 234	235 to 359	360 or more	Total‡			
Year: 1961-62	606	1,473	1,272	808	593	4,915	8,735	4,636	737
1962-63	806	1,784	1,470	1,003	914	6,110	9,766	4,899	908
1963-64	1,268	2,233	1,949	1,307	1,096	7,948	10,734	5,381	1,034
¶ 1963-64: July-Oct.	371	725	694	449	325	2,603	3,603	1,821	391
¶ 1964-65: July-Oct.	634	908	840	613	455	3,488	3,922	2,187	385p
¶ 1963: July	99	179	189	127	77	681	970	496	124
August	82	182	157	106	84	624	814	468	89
September	91	176	166	112	80	633	877	406	102
October	99	188	182	104	84	665	942	451	76
¶ 1964: July	150	227	191	148	118	842	1,088	604	136
August	148	198	184	139	119	798	902	524	82
September	158	255	202	161	116	897	1,000	539	95
October	178	228	263	165	102	951	932	520	72p

* Excludes vehicles of the Defence Services.

‡ Includes truck-type vehicles. Aggregate weight is the sum of the unladen weight of the vehicle and the weight the vehicle is considered capable of carrying with safety.

¶ Includes truck-type vehicles to which an aggregate weight is not applicable.

¶ Includes loaders, graders, fork-air lifts, bulldozers, etc.

39. Retail Trade: Value of Retail Sales in N.S.W.

The figures shown below represent the sales of goods (as distinct from services, repairs, accommodation, entertainment, meals, etc.) by establishments selling retail goods from fixed premises, and include the retail sales of establishments principally engaged in wholesale, manufacturing, or servicing activities. The figures for the year 1961-62 are the results of the 1961-62 Census of Retail Establishments; the figures for other periods are estimates which have been based on sample surveys and have been revised in the light of the scope and the results of the 1961-62 Census.

Commodity Group	Year ended June		1963				1964	
	1963	1964	Mar. Qr.	June Qr.	Sept. Qr.	Dec. Qr.	Mar. Qr.	June Qr.
	£ million							
Groceries	175.7	178.8	41.5	43.6	44.5	47.8	42.3	44.2
Butchers' Meat	84.6	86.3	20.8	21.6	21.5	21.8	20.9	22.1
Other Food*	140.6	143.7	36.2	34.8	35.2	37.4	35.4	35.7
Total Foodstuffs	400.9	408.8	98.5	100.0	101.2	107.0	98.6	102.0
Beer, Wine, and Spirits†	114.4	111.7	30.0	27.1	24.9	30.8	29.3	26.7
Clothing and Drapery	181.1	196.1	37.5	48.2	45.7	57.4	40.4	52.6
Footwear	31.6	32.6	6.5	8.4	7.7	9.4	6.8	8.7
Hardware, China and Glassware‡	31.2	28.8	7.2	7.7	6.2	8.8	6.8	7.0
Electrical Goods¶	70.1	72.1	16.2	16.7	17.3	19.9	16.6	18.3
Furniture and Floor Coverings	47.3	52.1	10.3	11.2	12.7	15.1	11.4	12.9
Chemists' Goods	56.4	61.1	13.3	14.1	14.5	17.1	14.4	15.1
Newspapers, Books and Stationery	34.8	37.6	8.1	8.4	8.7	11.0	9.1	8.8
Other Goods§	94.2	99.6	21.5	21.5	23.4	30.4	22.4	23.4
Total (excluding Motor Vehicles, etc.)	1,062.0	1,100.5	249.1	263.3	262.3	306.9	255.8	275.5
Motor Vehicles, Parts, Petrol, etc.||	374.1	389.4	91.4	92.4	99.6	99.9	91.4	98.5
Total, All Groups	1,436.1	1,489.9	340.5	356.7	361.9	406.8	347.2	374.0

* Includes fresh fruit and vegetables, confectionery, soft drinks, ice cream, cakes, pastry, cooked provisions, fish, etc., but excludes some delivered milk and bread.

† Excludes retail sales made by licensed clubs.

‡ Excludes basic building materials and builders' hardware and supplies such as tools of trade, paint, etc.

¶ Includes radios, television and accessories, musical instruments, domestic refrigerators, etc.

§ Includes tobacco, cigarettes, etc., jewellery, sporting goods, etc., but excludes grain and produce and business machines.

|| Excludes tractors, farm machinery and implements, earth-moving equipment, etc.

40. Retail Trade: Principal City Stores, Sydney

Source : Retail Traders' Association of N.S.W.

Period	Value of Net Sales									Value of Stock at end of period
	Piece Goods		Women's Wear	Men's and Boys' Wear	Footwear	Total, Clothing and Piece Goods	Furniture*	Hardware	Total Net Sales†	
	Household	Dress								
Percentage increase (+) or decrease (—) compared with corresponding period of previous year‡										
Year: 1958	+ 1	— 7	— 1	+ 2	+ 2	— 1	+ 11	+ 5	+ 3.2	— 5.3
1959	— 1	— 8	+ 4	...	+ 7	+ 2	— 3	...	+ 1.0	+ 4.2
1960	+ 5	+ 3	+ 9	+ 7	+ 7	+ 7	...	+ 2	+ 5.6	+ 2.5
1961	— 7	— 8	— 2	+ 5	— 5	— 5	— 13	— 8	— 4.9	— 1.6
1962	— 6	— 5	+ 2	— 1	+ 1	...	...	+ 4	+ 0.9	+ 8.7
1963	+ 1	— 1	— 2	— 3	— 2	— 2	— 1	+ 5	— 0.8	+ 4.4
1963: March	— 12	— 7	— 8	— 6	— 5	— 7	— 8	— 6	— 6.9	+ 5.3
April	— 2	+ 4	— 3	— 11	...	— 4	— 2	+ 6	— 1.8	+ 7.7
May	— 6	— 2	— 4	— 7	+ 4	— 4	— 6	+ 3	— 2.9	+ 1.6
June	— 5	— 6	— 2	+ 2	...	— 1	— 8	+ 5	— 2.4	— 0.2
July	+ 14	+ 6	+ 4	+ 5	+ 1	+ 4	+ 3	+ 14	+ 5.2	+ 3.1
August	— 1	— 4	— 6	— 7	— 8	— 6	...	+ 1	— 4.0	+ 4.7
September	+ 16	— 2	— 5	— 6	— 8	— 4	+ 1	+ 10	— 1.6	+ 3.1
1964: March	+ 2	+ 5	+ 9	— 1	— 2	+ 4	— 8	— 5	— 0.4	+ 3.6
April	+ 6	+ 10	...	+ 3	— 7	...	+ 11	+ 4	+ 2.5	+ 2.9
May	+ 1	+ 1	— 2	...	— 9	— 3	— 7	— 7	— 3.8	+ 3.4
June	+ 4	+ 3	+ 5	...	— 4	+ 2	+ 7	— 5	+ 1.8	+ 0.7
July	+ 1	...	— 1	— 2	— 9	— 2	— 1	— 10	— 2.7	+ 5.1
August	+ 1	+ 15	+ 4	— 9	— 1	— 2	— 1	— 9	— 1.4	+ 0.5
September	+ 6	+ 15	+ 11	+ 13	+ 10	+ 11	+ 6	+ 3	+ 8.6	n.y.a.

* Includes television sets.

† Includes foregoing items and all other goods sold by these stores.

‡ No account has been taken of any differences in the number of trading days in the periods being compared.

41. Instalment Credit for Retail Sales, N.S.W.*

Note. This statistical series covers credit schemes which involve repayment by regular predetermined instalments and which relate primarily to the financing of retail sales of goods. It embraces hire purchase, time-payment, budget account, and personal loan schemes, but does not cover lay-bys, credit accounts not payable by regular predetermined instalments, the financing of sales of land and buildings, property improvements, and services (e.g. repair work and travel), and rental and leasing schemes. All figures are shown in £ millions to one decimal place, without adjustment to ensure that component items add to the totals shown.

(a) Hire Purchase by Commodity Group

Period	Value of Goods				Amount Financed†				Balances Out- standing‡ at end of period
	Motor Vehicles, Tractors, etc.	Plant and Machinery	House- hold and Personal Goods	Total, All Groups	Motor Vehicles, Tractors, etc.	Plant and Machinery	House- hold and Personal Goods	Total, All Groups	
	£ million								
Year: 1959-60	129.7	12.1	53.5	195.2	82.2	8.0	44.8	135.1	200.0
1960-61	119.4	13.6	41.7	174.7	76.1	9.1	34.8	120.0	201.2
1961-62	112.0	13.9	38.4	164.2	72.0	8.7	31.1	111.8	193.9
1962-63	134.8	14.4	39.0	188.1	88.6	9.3	31.9	129.7	204.5
1962: Dec. Qr.	34.0	4.5	10.9	49.4	22.1	2.9	9.0	33.9	202.3
1963: Mar. Qr.	33.2	3.8	9.4	46.4	22.0	2.4	7.7	32.2	203.1
June Qr.	33.2	3.1	9.2	45.6	21.8	2.0	7.5	31.4	204.5
Sept. Qr.	40.3	2.9	9.4	52.5	26.5	2.0	7.7	36.3	208.5
Dec. Qr.	38.5	4.7	10.3	53.5	25.7	3.0	8.6	37.3	217.3
1964: Mar. Qr.	34.2	3.7	9.1	47.0	22.8	2.5	7.5	32.8	217.4

(b) Total Instalment Credit by Commodity Group

Period	Amount Financed†				Balances Outstanding‡ at end of period	
	Motor Vehicles, Tractors, etc.	Plant and Machinery	Household and Personal Goods	Total, All Groups	N.S.W.*	Australia
£ million						
Year: 1959-60	84.2	8.4	78.6	171.2	229.3	578.5
1960-61	77.0	9.4	73.9	160.3	238.3	601.0
1961-62	72.9	9.0	75.4	157.4	238.4	584.7
1962-63	89.9	9.5	80.1	179.5	254.8	627.7
1962: Dec. Qr.	22.7	2.9	23.8	49.4	252.0	623.2
1963: Mar. Qr.	22.4	2.5	17.0	41.8	250.8	621.5
June Qr.	22.1	2.1	20.3	44.5	254.8	627.7
Sept. Qr.	27.0	2.0	21.9	51.0	258.2	640.8
Dec. Qr.	26.2	3.1	26.9	56.2	273.3	674.7
1964: Mar. Qr.	23.3	2.5	18.8	44.6	271.3	672.2

(c) Total Amount Financed† by Type of Business and by Commodity Group

Period	Motor Vehicles, Tractors, etc.		Plant and Machinery		Household and Personal Goods		Total, All Groups		
	Retail Businesses‡	Other Businesses§	Retail Businesses‡	Other Businesses§	Retail Businesses‡	Other Businesses§	Retail Businesses‡	Other Businesses§	Total, All Businesses
£ million									
Year: 1959-60	7.4	76.8	0.8	7.6	49.2	29.4	57.4	113.8	171.2
1960-61	5.5	71.5	0.8	8.6	51.7	22.2	58.1	102.2	160.3
1961-62	3.3	69.6	0.3	8.7	57.0	18.4	60.6	96.8	157.4
1962-63	3.1	86.8	0.5	9.0	62.6	17.5	66.2	113.4	179.5
1962: Sept. Qr.	0.8	22.1	0.2	1.8	14.6	4.4	15.5	28.3	43.8
Dec. Qr.	0.8	21.8	0.1	2.8	18.9	4.9	19.8	29.6	49.4
1963: Mar. Qr.	0.7	21.6	0.1	2.4	12.9	4.1	13.8	28.1	41.8
June Qr.	0.8	21.3	0.1	2.0	16.2	4.1	17.1	27.4	44.5
Sept. Qr.	0.8	26.2	0.2	1.9	18.0	3.9	19.0	32.0	51.0
Dec. Qr.	0.8	25.4	0.1	3.0	22.4	4.5	23.3	32.9	56.2
1964: Mar. Qr.	0.7	22.6	0.1	2.4	14.8	4.0	15.6	28.9	44.6
1964: January	n.a.	8.0	n.a.	0.8	n.a.	1.4	n.a.	10.1	n.a.
February	n.a.	7.0	n.a.	0.9	n.a.	1.3	n.a.	9.2	n.a.
March	n.a.	7.6	n.a.	0.8	n.a.	1.3	n.a.	9.6	n.a.

* Includes Australian Capital Territory.

† Excludes hiring charges, interest, and insurance.

‡ Includes hiring charges, interest, and insurance.

§ Includes subsidiary finance businesses set up by retailers primarily for financing their retail sales.

§ Non-retail finance businesses.

42. Wholesale Trade, New South Wales

Net sales of taxable and exempt goods by traders registered under Sales Tax Acts

Period	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65
	£ million							
July	92.6	101.3	106.1	110.5	100.2	116.5	136.4	160.1 p
August	93.6	100.0	109.0	125.2	114.2	128.1	142.8	
September	101.1	108.7	110.8	122.1	119.0	117.2	140.2	
October	104.0	112.0	109.2	121.9	115.8	129.6	148.7	
November	105.2	115.1	116.0	137.1	125.6	135.8	143.0	
December	100.4	109.3	121.2	121.6	115.5	121.0	145.5	
March Quarter	275.7	273.9	305.1	312.1	337.8	347.0	393.1	
June Quarter	295.9	314.0	343.6	330.6	349.5	392.5	444.8	
Year ended June	1,168.5	1,234.3	1,321.0	1,381.1	1,377.6	1,487.7	1,694.6	

43. Oversea Trade in Merchandise, N.S.W. and Australia

Period*	New South Wales		Australia				Excess of Exports
	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports			
				Wool	Other	Total	
£A million f.o.b.							
Year: 1957-58	350.1	224.0	789.3	373.4	436.9	810.3	21.0
1958-59	350.6	218.0	794.4	302.2	504.5	806.7	12.3
1959-60	412.2	280.2	924.5	386.2	539.8	926.0	1.5
1960-61	477.4	273.6	1,085.3	334.4	593.6	928.0	(—) 157.3
1961-62	410.9	313.6	882.5	372.5	695.4	1,067.9	185.4
1962-63	474.6	304.0	1,078.8	379.4	689.6	1,069.0	(—) 9.8
1963-64	516.4	393.5	1,185.6	480.8	902.2	1,383.0	197.4
1963: April	39.4	25.6	92.3	32.6	58.8	91.4	(—) 0.9
May	39.3	31.5	95.8	33.7	67.5	101.2	5.4
June	44.0	26.2	90.6	28.8	64.5	93.3	2.7
July	43.8	34.1	99.7	36.5	80.2	116.7	17.0
August	42.3	25.1	96.3	19.8	75.5	95.3	(—) 1.0
September	38.9	26.1	89.0	26.5	76.1	102.6	13.6
1964: April	47.0	32.3	112.0	46.9	72.0	118.9	6.9
May	42.7	33.3	102.8	32.2	88.1	120.3	17.5
June	52.7	34.6	110.2	37.8	77.9	115.7	5.5
July	49.1	35.1	116.1	33.3	83.9	117.2	1.1
August	49.6	24.4	119.1	20.4	70.0	90.4	(—) 28.7
September	51.0	29.5	112.2	22.1	77.3	99.4	(—) 12.8

* Figures for July, 1963 and later periods are subject to revision.

(—) denotes excess of imports.

44. Volume of Money and International Reserves, Australia

Month		Australian Notes Issued*		Volume of Money				Inter- national Reserves ‡
		Held by Public	Total	Notes and Coin held by Public	Deposits of Public with All Trading Banks†	Deposits with All Savings Banks	Total	
£A million								
1959: June	348.7	395.5	382	1,577	1,379	3,338	516.4	
1960: June	366.0	422.1	400	1,684	1,512	3,596	512.0	
1961: June	363.6	421.4	399	1,683	1,569	3,651	550.8	
1962: June	368.2	429.3	405	1,799	1,714	3,918	561.2	
1963: June	371.0	435.7	409	1,897	1,953	4,259	626.1	
1963: September	372.4	435.2	411	1,922	2,042	4,375	667.2	
October	371.8	435.2	411	1,973	2,070	4,454	707.2	
November	373.1	436.7	412	2,022	2,097	4,531	754.1	
December	396.7	473.3	424	2,084	2,113	4,621	794.7	
1964: January	377.0	449.9	416	2,123	2,130	4,669	808.2	
February	367.5	435.4	407	2,158	2,150	4,715	828.8	
March	373.6	437.2	413	2,193	2,165	4,771	822.4	
April	371.7	441.2	412	2,184	2,176	4,772	834.1	
May	367.8	434.7	408	2,142	2,189	4,739	864.5	
June	366.9	433.7	407	2,148	2,222	4,777	854.1	
July	367.3	433.0	408	2,157	2,263	4,828	846.7	
August	372.2	438.5	413	2,160	2,293	4,866	834.0	
September	374.1	441.5	416	2,203	2,321	4,940	837.3	

* Averages of weekly figures.

† Excludes inter-bank deposits (mainly deposits of savings banks with trading banks) and Government deposits

‡ Net gold and foreign exchange holdings by official and banking institutions. June figures relate to end of month; figures for other months are for the last Wednesday in the month.

45. Trading Banks*: Deposits and Assets in Australia

Average of Weekly Figures

Month	Deposits			Cash Items	Commonwealth and State Government Securities		Statutory Reserve with Central Bank	Loans to Authorised Money Market Dealers	Loans, Advances, and Bills Discounted ‡
	Not Bearing Interest	Bearing Interest	Total		Treasury Bills and Treasury Notes†	Other			
£ million									
MAJOR PRIVATE TRADING BANKS									
1958: June	990.2	352.8	1,343.0	58.4	13.0	151.7	244.2	...	831.7
1959: June	1,008.3	370.7	1,379.0	52.5	15.8	218.1	214.4	21.2	791.2
1960: June	1,073.6	386.4	1,460.0	61.0	11.9	185.8	257.1	15.2	875.3
1961: June	966.0	466.8	1,432.8	58.6	18.2	176.0	218.2	22.8	874.2
1962: June	980.8	540.7	1,521.5	59.5	9.7	283.8	162.3	23.4	874.4
1963: June	997.3	608.2	1,605.5	54.5	22.5	294.3	186.6	22.0	928.8
1964: May	1,098.1	709.2	1,807.3	57.4	24.2	352.0	286.2	26.5	968.5
June	1,093.8	720.2	1,814.0	56.0	16.3	342.3	281.5	27.3	981.5
July	1,088.3	727.4	1,815.7	57.5	18.6	333.1	273.3	29.9	992.6
Aug.	1,066.7	754.4	1,821.1	56.2	25.3	340.5	268.6	32.4	986.8
Sept.	1,092.4	764.0	1,856.4	55.1	37.2	354.9	269.3	39.0	988.6
Oct.p	1,107.2	775.8	1,883.0	55.1	43.1	355.9	287.4	29.5	1,012.2
COMMONWEALTH TRADING BANK									
1958: June	152.0	63.3	215.3	10.4	8.5	46.7	37.9	...	113.9
1959: June	160.2	73.2	233.4	10.8	1.7	60.9	35.2	3.1	125.1
1960: June	191.2	79.9	271.1	10.4	1.9	56.5	46.6	4.3	139.7
1961: June	178.6	103.7	282.3	10.4	1.5	67.8	41.5	5.5	145.9
1962: June	186.8	115.9	302.7	10.6	2.7	80.5	32.2	3.1	157.0
1963: June	194.6	123.3	317.9	11.0	4.1	72.6	36.6	4.8	172.4
1964: May	212.5	158.5	371.0	11.5	7.9	88.7	56.4	3.5	184.3
June	215.6	159.5	375.1	12.1	8.9	90.3	57.3	1.0	185.1
July	215.3	163.7	379.0	11.8	8.0	90.1	56.5	4.3	191.1
Aug.	216.8	167.9	384.7	12.5	6.3	95.2	56.0	3.3	192.7
Sept.	217.1	170.3	387.4	11.8	4.6	100.8	56.8	2.2	191.7
Oct.p	219.8	172.9	392.7	12.3	3.8	101.2	60.1	3.1	193.9
MAJOR TRADING BANKS†									
1958: June	1,142.2	416.1	1,558.3	68.8	21.5	198.4	282.1	...	945.6
1959: June	1,168.5	443.9	1,612.4	63.3	17.5	279.0	249.6	24.3	916.3
1960: June	1,264.8	466.3	1,731.1	71.4	13.8	242.3	303.7	19.5	1,015.0
1961: June	1,144.6	570.5	1,715.1	69.0	19.7	243.8	259.7	28.3	1,020.1
1962: June	1,167.6	656.6	1,824.2	70.1	12.4	364.3	194.5	26.5	1,031.4
1963: June	1,191.9	731.5	1,923.4	65.5	26.6	366.9	223.2	26.8	1,101.2
1963: Oct.	1,241.5	766.4	2,007.9	65.1	45.8	409.1	210.8	36.0	1,099.8
Nov.	1,271.4	789.1	2,060.5	66.1	69.7	426.2	215.5	36.8	1,104.4
Dec.	1,321.4	791.1	2,112.5	78.5	66.7	444.6	220.6	35.5	1,098.3
1964: Jan.	1,357.8	793.2	2,151.0	79.1	97.2	473.3	247.3	42.4	1,071.3
Feb.	1,379.0	805.5	2,184.5	66.7	101.6	498.8	299.8	28.7	1,068.7
Mar.	1,402.0	812.1	2,214.1	65.3	77.4	487.6	337.3	27.9	1,088.9
Apr.	1,380.7	828.7	2,209.4	69.4	41.1	459.8	342.3	23.7	1,128.0
May	1,310.6	867.7	2,178.3	68.9	32.1	440.7	342.6	30.0	1,152.8
June	1,309.4	879.7	2,189.1	68.1	25.2	432.6	338.8	28.3	1,166.6
July	1,303.6	891.1	2,194.7	69.3	26.6	423.2	329.8	34.2	1,183.7
Aug.	1,283.5	922.3	2,205.8	68.7	31.6	435.7	324.6	35.7	1,179.5
Sept.	1,309.5	934.3	2,243.8	66.9	41.8	455.7	326.1	41.2	1,180.3
Oct.p	1,327.0	948.7	2,275.7	67.4	46.9	457.1	347.5	32.6	1,206.1§
ALL TRADING BANKS									
1958: June	1,181.0	439.1	1,620.1	71.9	22.0	212.6	282.7	...	1,030.1
1959: June	1,211.8	469.0	1,680.8	66.0	18.0	294.6	250.2	28.3	1,003.5
1960: June	1,310.6	495.0	1,805.6	74.2	14.3	258.8	304.2	27.2	1,105.5
1961: June	1,188.8	611.2	1,800.0	72.2	20.1	263.8	260.3	34.4	1,119.0
1962: June	1,215.7	702.7	1,918.4	77.5	12.4	385.9	195.0	27.9	1,143.4
1963: June	1,244.8	787.4	2,032.2	69.3	29.4	392.3	223.6	29.0	1,232.4
1964: Apr.	1,446.4	893.6	2,340.0	73.0	43.7	501.0	342.8	31.2	1,262.9
May	1,371.5	943.1	2,314.6	72.7	33.2	487.5	343.3	36.5	1,288.9
June	1,369.6	955.1	2,324.7	72.0	26.7	479.5	339.4	33.6	1,304.9
July	1,363.1	961.8	2,324.9	74.0	28.4	464.5	330.3	38.7	1,324.4
Aug.	1,343.2	994.6	2,337.8	71.9	33.7	476.6	325.1	41.9	1,322.4
Sept.	1,370.4	1,006.9	2,377.3	69.8	44.3	498.1	326.6	46.2	1,326.1

* Since 1st October, 1951, 15 trading banks have conducted business in Australia. They comprise 7 major private trading banks and the Commonwealth Trading Bank (which operate in all States), and 7 other banks (including the Rural Bank and 3 other banks in N.S.W.) which trade mainly in particular areas.

† Treasury Notes were first issued in July, 1962. Figures include Seasonal Treasury Securities, which were on issue in selected months from November, 1959 to June, 1962.

‡ Excludes loans to authorised dealers in short-term money market.

§ Major Private Trading Banks and Commonwealth Trading Bank.

§ Overdraft limits (excluding temporary advances to woolbuyers) approved by Major Trading Banks aggregated £1,935.6 million on the second Wednesday of October, 1964.

46. Trading Banks: Deposits and Advances in New South Wales

Average of Weekly Figures

Month	Deposits				Loans, Advances, and Bills Discounted*			
	Major Private Trading Banks	Commonwealth Trading Bank	Major Trading Banks†	All Trading Banks	Major Private Trading Banks	Commonwealth Trading Bank	Major Trading Banks†	All Trading Banks
	£ million							
1958: June	481.9	111.1	593.0	636.1	340.2	51.9	392.1	449.0
1959: June	496.5	115.2	611.7	658.2	322.3	59.2	381.5	440.6
1960: June	532.5	136.4	668.9	722.4	347.4	68.4	415.8	475.5
1961: June	520.5	143.6	664.1	726.1	347.4	73.3	420.7	486.3
1962: June	545.2	156.3	701.5	769.4	345.2	76.3	421.5	494.7
1963: June	583.2	165.8	749.0	828.7	371.3	82.2	453.5	539.1
1964: Mar.	684.3	181.5	865.8	958.6	367.9	86.5	454.4	547.6
Apr.	682.4	185.8	868.2	963.2	377.7	89.2	466.9	552.0
May	660.8	189.7	850.5	953.7	387.7	91.1	478.8	563.1
June	662.6	190.6	853.2	955.5	399.6	91.6	491.2	576.4
July	666.0	194.9	860.9	958.0	405.5	93.4	498.9	585.7
Aug.	666.6	197.6	864.2	962.7	393.0	92.8	485.8	573.2
Sept.	681.6	197.9	879.5	978.9	393.2	92.1	485.3	574.3

* Excludes loans to authorised dealers in short-term money market.

† Major Private Trading Banks and Commonwealth Trading Bank.

47. Trading Banks: Debits to Customers' Accounts, New South Wales

"Debits" refer to all trading banks operating in N.S.W., excluding accounts of Australian Governments at metropolitan branches and central banking business of the Reserve Bank.

Period	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65
Weekly Average—£ million								
July	235.9	242.6	275.3	342.5	322.2	368.0	410.0	467.1
August	205.8	218.8	254.5	313.7	282.8	323.1	351.0	425.4
September	227.4	236.1	283.1	328.9	313.4	344.2	388.5	454.4
October	233.6	252.3	290.5	333.6	338.7	362.1	408.3	454.7
November	237.9	254.3	295.2	344.9	331.6	351.2	429.8	
December	253.8	274.4	312.5	344.4	339.8	374.9	457.6	
January	200.6	205.7	259.3	290.2	296.9	335.5	379.7	
February	232.6	254.3	294.1	306.4	337.7	363.7	439.5	
March	239.8	259.0	319.4	317.2	331.9	360.1	424.7	
April	234.2	250.1	302.3	301.7	330.5	371.5	412.9	
May	235.0	263.4	328.0	326.7	360.1	355.6	420.1	
June	231.8	269.6	331.2	316.2	347.5	381.2	436.3	
Year	230.3	248.9	296.3	322.5	327.0	356.6	412.4	

48. Savings Banks: Deposits and Assets in New South Wales and Australia

End of Month	New South Wales				Australia			
	Active Accounts	Depositors' Balances			Depositors' Balances	Australian Public Securities		Loans, Advances, etc.†
		Common-wealth Savings Bank	Other Savings Banks	Total		C'wealth. and State*	Other	
	Thousands	£ million						
1958: June	2,740	367.4	81.6	449.0	1,296.8	719.4	224.5	228.1
1959: June	2,879	381.0	107.3	488.3	1,391.3	740.1	248.9	261.0
1960: June	3,013	402.4	139.2	541.6	1,522.7	793.8	284.4	301.7
1961: June	3,151	413.5	155.7	569.2	1,577.5	789.3	311.4	339.6
1962: June	3,324	438.1	186.9	625.0	1,734.9	832.6	351.9	375.1
1963: Apr.	3,532	454.0	224.5	678.5	1,895.5	910.7	412.8	418.0
May	3,555	456.4	231.4	687.8	1,920.2	916.0	415.4	425.5
June	3,562	470.9	233.1	704.0	1,969.8	913.6	417.8	437.3
July	3,594	474.3	239.1	713.4	2,004.3	927.4	426.6	444.3
Aug.	3,570	477.4	242.1	719.5	2,024.3	932.4	433.3	452.3
Sept.	3,595	480.4	245.1	725.5	2,042.8	940.3	437.2	460.4
1964: Apr.	3,771	494.5	274.2	768.7	2,173.0	994.7	471.2	523.3
May	3,793	495.8	278.9	774.7	2,187.1	997.5	474.4	532.1
June	3,817	511.8	279.8	791.6	2,238.1	997.2	477.8	546.9
July	3,842	514.9	285.4	800.3	2,267.7	998.7	481.2	556.6
Aug.	3,812	518.5	289.0	807.5	2,298.6	1,016.2	486.6	565.6
Sept.	3,841	521.7	293.5	815.2	2,322.3	1,031.1	495.6	577.6

* Includes Treasury Bills, Treasury Notes (from July, 1962), and Seasonal Treasury Securities (when on issue).

† Excludes loans to authorised dealers in short-term money market.

49. Interest Rates, New South Wales

Period	First Mortgages Registered*	Yield on Commonwealth Government Securities†		Trading Banks‡				Savings Banks Deposits §§	Common- wealth Treasury Notes (Yield||) ‡
		Short- term	Long- term	Fixed Deposits ¶			Over- draft (Max.)		
				3 but less than 12 months	12 but less than 18 months	18 to 24 months			
Per cent. per annum									
Year: 1961-62	8.9	4.45	5.06	3.75	4.00¶	...	7.00	3.50	...
1962-63	8.9	4.08	4.80	3.25	3.50	...	6.50	3.00	3.23
1963-64	8.6	3.79	4.51	3.75	4.00	...	7.00	3.25	3.75
1963: September	8.6	3.68	4.46	3.25	3.50	...	6.50	3.00	3.23
October	8.6	3.66	4.44	3.25	3.50	...	6.50	3.00	3.23
November	8.7	3.66	4.44	3.25	3.50	...	6.50	3.00	3.23
December	8.6	3.64	4.44	3.25	3.50	...	6.50	3.00	3.23
1964: January	8.7	3.64	4.45	3.25	3.50	...	6.50	3.00	3.23
February	8.7	3.61	4.45	3.25	3.50	...	6.50	3.00	3.23
March	8.7	3.63	4.46	3.25	3.50	...	6.50	3.00	3.23
April	8.7	4.13	4.58	3.75	4.00	...	7.00	3.00	3.44
May	8.6	4.15	4.66	3.75	4.00	...	7.00	3.00	3.75
June	8.6	4.23	4.70	3.75	4.00	...	7.00	3.25	3.75
July	8.6	4.30	4.90	3.75	4.00	...	7.00	3.25	3.75
August	8.7	4.34	4.93	3.75	4.00¶	...	7.00	3.25	3.85
September	8.7	4.35	4.89	3.75	4.00	4.25	7.00	3.25	3.85
October	8.8	4.35	4.89	3.75	4.00	4.25	7.00	3.25	3.85

* Weighted average rate on first mortgages registered, where mortgagee is a corporation (other than a bank or a building society), or an individual. Mortgages taken by Government Agencies are excluded. Average for year or for 3 months ended month shown.

† Average of daily yields, for week centred on last Wednesday in each month, for theoretical 2-year and 15-year securities (derived from a freehand curve). Compiled by Reserve Bank.

‡ Rate current at end of period.

¶ The minimum period of deposit is 3 months except (since April, 1964) for amounts of £50,000 or more on deposit for periods of one month but less than 3 months (maximum rate, 3.75 per cent. per annum). The maximum period of deposit is 24 months (15 months before 29th September, 1964, and 12 months before September, 1962).

§ The maximum amount on which interest is paid, which had been £2,000 since November, 1958, was raised to £2,500 in January, 1961 and to £3,000 in July, 1961.

|| Yield on issue price.

50. Index of Prices of Shares on Sydney Stock Exchange

This index relates to ordinary shares of the principal companies (excluding banking companies) listed on the Sydney Stock Exchange whose business in New South Wales is extensive. The prices of individual shares are unweighted, and each group average is the mean of the average monthly prices per £1 of paid-up capital. The aggregate index is the average of all the shares included in the groups with the addition of 34 miscellaneous shares. There is no base period as the index represents the ratio per cent. of the average prices of ordinary shares to their par values, adjustment being made for changes in capital structure.

Month	23 Manufacturing and Dis- tributing Companies	10 Retail Companies	4 Pastoral and Finance Companies	4 Insurance Companies	Total, 75* Companies	34 Active Shares included in foregoing
1958: June	458.4	361.9	252.6	784.0	332.8	343.2
1959: June	550.5	393.5	237.7	944.2	390.4	417.5
1960: June	731.2	569.7	393.6	1,296.6	548.5	572.9
1961: June	671.8	540.0	273.4	1,399.3	506.0	545.1
1962: June	711.0	537.6	293.3	1,718.1	549.9	556.7
1963: June	676.2	593.1	309.7	1,564.1	546.8	573.6
1963: September	724.9	612.8	333.8	1,700.0	583.5	605.2
October	714.0	598.1	325.5	1,724.8	574.5	594.7
November	716.2	581.3	360.2	1,722.5	574.0	597.0
December	753.0	600.8	377.8	1,673.2	589.3	614.4
1964: January	783.8	624.5	384.9	1,647.1	603.5	633.6
February	787.4	636.1	400.4	1,611.4	608.0	639.4
March	776.4	614.1	387.1	1,585.9	602.6	632.9
April	768.6	589.7	379.5	1,546.0	592.2	620.9
May	773.8	564.3	376.4	1,526.5	594.3	627.9
June	790.3	549.4	392.1	1,516.4	603.6	636.3
July	805.2	536.0	402.5	1,487.5	611.7	642.1
August	814.6	517.3	416.8	1,442.8	609.2	642.1
September	813.9	497.4	401.5	1,400.8	600.0	629.9
October	798.1	488.2	373.3	1,414.1	586.0	617.8

* Includes 34 miscellaneous companies.

51. Real Estate Transactions and Crop, Wool, and Stock Mortgages Registered in N.S.W.

Period	Real Estate Conveyances and Transfers		Mortgages†	Crop Liens	Wool Liens‡	Livestock Mortgages‡
	Number*	£ thousand				
Year: 1958-59	103,806	281,431	148,289	2,763	5,449	2,244
1959-60	117,702	364,834	173,124	3,694	4,493	1,838
1960-61	116,099	410,278	215,598	1,779	3,468	1,892
1961-62	98,858	345,604	190,589	2,125	3,009	1,824
1962-63	105,925	393,850	211,664	1,233	3,036	1,458
1963-64	117,431	493,014	259,555	1,265	3,476	1,157
1963-64: July-Oct.	39,998	162,957	94,510	380	1,734	472
1964-65: July-Oct.	42,115	180,978	101,409	339	1,024	323
1963: June	8,597	31,276	16,115	114	420	123
July	10,723	43,824	22,617	92	475	136
August	9,914	38,682	19,649	94	630	136
September	9,396	37,690	19,538	90	372	108
October	9,965	42,761	32,706	104	257	92
1964: June	10,461	44,462	21,139	79	231	96
July	11,273	49,756	27,535	74	377	82
August	9,749	41,321	24,809	92	234	80
September	10,780	45,308	25,428	113	234	72
October	10,313	44,593	23,637	60	179	89

* Includes transfers for which no consideration is shown (e.g., gifts and transfers under wills). These numbered 7,688 in 1960-61, 7,170 in 1961-62, 7,107 in 1962-63, and 7,728 in 1963-64.

† Relates, for the most part, to mortgages in fixed amounts for fixed periods, and excludes fluctuating advances secured by mortgage. As consideration is not always recorded, the amount is understated. The figures exclude the consideration recorded in mortgages which are collateral with other mortgages.

‡ Loans secured by both lien on wool and mortgage on sheep are included under both headings.

52. Life Assurance, New South Wales

Period		New Policies Issued (exclusive of annuities)*				New Loans Granted (exclusive of advances of premiums)†	
		Ordinary Department		Industrial Department			Total Sum Assured
		Policies	Sum Assured	Policies	Sum Assured		
Year‡:		Number	£ thous.	Number	£ thous.	£ thous.	£ thous.
	1956-57	109,039	129,096	84,989	13,587	142,683	n.a.
	1957-58	115,953	140,296	84,994	13,759	154,055	n.a.
	1958-59	111,178	160,823	79,849	13,142	173,965	30,880
	1959-60	141,574	210,913	77,922	13,424	224,337	30,951
	1960-61	146,494	223,831	75,282	17,938	241,769	34,194
	1961-62	138,527	233,990	67,371	19,159	253,149	26,056
	1962-63	141,138	242,889	56,476	21,612	264,501	30,047
	1963-64	133,079	255,383r	50,885	23,507	278,890r	34,505
1963:	March	10,401	18,419	4,189	1,672	20,091	2,931
	April	12,197	18,326	4,728	1,807	20,133	2,349
	May	12,929	20,359	4,022	1,781	22,140	3,708
	June	12,525	21,819	4,127	1,766	23,585	2,742
	July	13,232	25,128	4,547	1,920	27,048	2,601
	August	12,089	22,717	6,683	2,866	25,583	2,332
1964:	March	9,372	19,098	4,906	2,200	21,298	2,066
	April	11,069	20,794	4,492	2,101	22,895	2,463
	May	12,071	22,398	4,202	1,885	24,283	2,942
	June	12,790	25,392	4,538	2,050	27,442	5,930
	July	12,119	25,441	4,326	2,049	27,490	3,767
	August	11,895	24,181	4,911	2,342	26,523	2,195

* Includes operations of Government Insurance Office of New South Wales.

† Excludes loans granted by Government Insurance Office of New South Wales.

‡ Total of monthly figures.

53. Oversea Exchange Rates

Means of daily Buying and Selling rates for telegraphic transfers quoted by Commonwealth Trading Bank

Period	Australia on—									
	London	New Zealand	India	Montreal	New York	France *	Belgium	Switzerland	West Germany	South Africa‡
	£A. to £stg. 100	£A. to £N.Z. 100	Rupees to £A. 1	Can. \$ to £A. 1	U.S. \$ to £A. 1	Francs to £A. 1	Francs to £A. 1	Francs to £A. 1	D'marks to £A. 1	Rands to £A. 1
1953: June	125.25	124.27	10.64	2.19	2.25	784.71	111.76	9.74	9.34†	1.5995
1959: June	125.25	124.27	10.65	2.15	2.25	1,100.81	112.12	9.68	9.38	1.5995
1960: June	125.25	124.27	10.65	2.20	2.24	10.97	111.57	9.65	9.33	1.5995
1961: June	125.25	124.27	10.65	2.23	2.23	10.91	111.24	9.63	8.85	1.5995
1962: June	125.25	124.27	10.65	2.44	2.24	10.99	111.54	9.68	8.95	1.5995
1963: June	125.25	124.27	10.64	2.41	2.24	10.96	111.55	9.67	8.90	1.5995
1964: June	125.25	124.27	10.65	2.41	2.23	10.94	111.20	9.63	8.87	1.5996
Sept.	125.25	124.27	10.65	2.39	2.22	10.89	110.41	9.60	8.83	1.5996
Oct.	125.25	124.27	10.65	2.39	2.22	10.89	110.29	9.59	8.83	1.5996

* From 1st January, 1960, 1 "new" franc equals 100 "old" francs.

† July.

‡ Rand (equal to former 10s. South African) adopted as basic currency unit on 15th February, 1961.

54. Commonwealth Government: Revenue and Expenditure

REVENUE			EXPENDITURE		
Item	July–October		Item	July–October	
	1963-64	1964-65		1963-64	1964-65
	£ thousand			£ thousand	
Taxes—			From Consolidated Revenue Fund—		
Customs Duty	37,945	44,920	Social Welfare and Health Benefits—		
Excise Duty	95,204	98,577	Age and Invalid Pensions	65,853	71,714
Sales Tax	55,367	59,519	Child Endowment	27,205	23,931
Income Tax and Social Services Contribution—			Unemployment and Sickness Benefits	4,357	2,652
Individuals	99,023	120,919	Medical Benefits	4,163	5,383
Dividend (Withholding) Tax	2,058	2,256	Hospital Benefits	8,990	9,857
Companies	10,398	12,075	Pharmaceutical Benefits	10,802	11,553
Pay-roll Tax	21,774	24,677	Other	15,580	17,968
Estate Duty	6,761	7,533	Total, Social Welfare and Health Benefits	136,950	143,058
Other	1,063	1,285	To States—		
Total Taxes	329,593	371,761	General Purposes Grants	95,160	94,495
Post Office	53,146	56,303	Specific Purpose Grants and Advances	28,782	39,404
Broadcasting and Television	5,392	5,865	Post Office: Buildings, Works	21,051	25,027
Railways	2,771	2,746	Other	37,893	40,122
Territories	2,387	4,149	Broadcasting and Television*	6,564	7,585
Other	23,523	30,720	Railways*	2,308	2,884
Total Revenue (Consolidated Revenue Fund)	416,812	471,544	Territories: Buildings, Works	8,883	9,109
			Other	13,471	14,381
			Defence Services*	76,013	92,330
			War and Service Pensions and Allowances	32,298	28,720
			Debt Charges	30,272	32,116
			Other: Buildings, Works	20,339	21,382
			Other	71,740	83,823
			Total Expenditure from C.R.F.	581,724	634,436
			From Loan Fund—		
			Defence Services	...	...
			Snowy Mountains Authority	2,951	1,751
			War and Repatriation: War Service Land Settlement	1,101	840
			Advances to States for Housing	5,765	9,791
			Loans to Government Airlines	448	6,188
			Mt. Isa Railway Agreement: Advances	1,500	...
			Total Loan Expenditure†	11,765	18,570

* Includes expenditure on buildings, works, etc.

† Excludes redemption of debt, transfers to National Debt Sinking Fund, and transfers to the States for their own works programmes.

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Commonwealth Treasury Bills on issue in Australia at the end of October amounted to £143,000,000 in 1963 and £121,000,000 in 1964.

Commonwealth Treasury Notes on issue in Australia at the end of October amounted to £108,173,000 in 1963 and £91,998,000 in 1964.

55. New South Wales Government: Revenue and Expenditure

REVENUE			EXPENDITURE		
Item	July–October		Item	July–October	
	1963-64	1964-65		1963-64	1964-65
	£ thousand			£ thousand	
Consolidated Revenue Fund—			From Revenue—		
From Commonwealth—			Interest, Exchange, Sinking Fund,		
General Purposes Grant	30,916	30,795	and Loan Management	19,039	20,570
Towards Interest on Debt	972	972	Less—Recoups from Other		
Taxes—			Activities	3,446	3,723
Stamp and Probate Duty	13,078	14,869	Net Debt Charges	15,593	16,847
Other	7,036	9,481	Other than Debt Charges—		
Land, Mining, etc.	927	917	Ordinary Departmental		
Services Rendered	3,195	3,372	Business Undertakings—	54,633	58,035
Other	8,503	7,349	Railways	26,398	28,271
Total, Consolidated Revenue			Omnibuses	4,315	4,348
Fund	64,627	67,755	Harbour Services*	1,221	1,616
Business Undertakings—			Total Expenditure	102,160	109,117
Railways	32,494	32,967	From Loan Fund—		
Omnibuses	3,955	3,811	Gross Expenditure on Works	17,557	19,994
Harbour Services*	2,501	2,754	and Services		
Total Revenue	103,577	107,287			

* Refers to business undertaking activities of Maritime Services Board at the Ports of Sydney, Newcastle, and Botany Bay.

56. Export Price Index, Australia

Notes:—

1. The current Export Price Index is compiled as a weighted average of the relative price movements of 29 commodities, the weights being based on the exports (valued at 1959-60 prices) of the commodities in the five years 1956-57 to 1960-61. In these years, the selected commodities accounted for about 83 per cent. of the total value of Australian exports.
2. A comparable series of index numbers has been compiled by linking, at the year 1959-60, the "All Groups" Index in the current and previous Export Price Indexes. The index numbers (Base: 1959-60 = 100) for the years 1954-55 to 1958-59 are 114, 105, 117, 102, and 90 respectively.

Base of each Group Index: 1959-60 = 100

Period	Wool	Cereals	Meats †	Dairy Produce	Dried and Canned Fruits	Sugar	Hides and Tallow	Metals and Coal	Gold	All Groups
Percentage Weight*	50.73	12.54	9.92	6.49	2.54	3.99	1.26	10.54	1.99	100.00
Year: 1961-62	97	106	100	81	95	91	84	91	100	96
1962-63	104	107	101	88	90	107	72	89	100	101
1963-64	120	107	105p	93	98p	175p	73	101	100	114p
1963: July	114	103	103	94	92	164	67	94	100	109
August	110	102	103	94	94	165	66	96	100	107
September	112	102	105	94	97	159	64	94	100	108
October	117	107	105	94	98	163	68	96	100	111
November	128	107	103	94	99	198	74	96	100	118
December	126	109	100p	94	100	187	74	101	100	117p
1964: January	128	111	99p	92	100	205p	73	104	100	119p
February	130	111	101p	91	100	191p	73	104	100	120p
March	130	109	106p	91	98	192p	74	103	100	120p
April	121	109	111p	92	99	165p	78	106	100	115p
May	110	108	113p	92	99p	166p	79	111	100	110p
June	112	108	110p	92	101p	146p	81	111	100	110p
July	112	109	108p	92	101p	139p	81	114	100	110p
August	112	110	108p	92	100p	122p	83	117p	100	110p
September	110p	111	107p	92	100p	113p	85	119p	101	109p

* Percentage contribution of each group to "All Groups" Index.

† For sales to United Kingdom, guaranteed minimum prices are used when operative.

57. Wholesale Price (Basic Materials and Foodstuffs) Index

Commodities are priced in their primary or basic form wherever possible. Prices are drawn mainly from Melbourne sources. Apart from locally produced building materials, and one or two minor commodities, the price movements may be taken as representative of variations in wholesale prices of basic materials in most Australian markets.

Base of each Group Index: Average of 3 years ended June, 1939 = 100

Period	Metals and Coal	Oils, Fats, and Waxes	Textiles	Chemicals	Rubber and Hides	Building Materials	Total Basic Materials	Food- stuffs and Tobacco	Goods Principally Imported*	Goods Principally Home- produced	Total, All Groups
Year: 1958-59	392	231	362	327	293	423	340	332	283	358	336
1959-60	395	225	403	331	379	431	347	348	281	375	348
1960-61	399	222	387	331	341	439	346	372	278	394	360
1961-62	392	212	400	333	302	439	340	332	270	363	336
1962-63	388	209	432	317	262	439	336	342	272	368	340
1963-64	383	207	484	286	221	473	339	352	275	376	346
1963: July	385	209	468	316	227	449	338	359	271	382	349
Aug.	383	209	458	283	223	462	336	359	274	380	348
Sept.	383	207	461	283	213	462	335	359	274	379	348
Oct.	385	207	476	283	210	468	338	351	276	374	345
Nov.	384	207	506	283	216	468	339	345	276	370	342
Dec.	383	207	501	283	219	469	339	339	276	366	339
1964: Jan.	381	208	506	283	220	470	339	341	275	368	340
Feb.	381	208	511	284	220	484	342	343	277	370	343
Mar.	382	208	512	284	220	486	343	350	277	376	347
Apr.	385	207	488	284	223	486	342	355	276	380	349
May	384	207	458	284	229	486	340	362	276	384	352
June	382	205	463	284	230	486	340	365	275	386	353
July	386	205	463	285	233	496	343	367	279	389	356
Aug.	389	206	464	285	236	498	345	367	278	390	357
Sept.	389	206	455p	285	237	498	345p	366	276	390p	356p

* Represents only such imported commodities as are included in the Wholesale Price Index. This index does not measure changes in import prices generally.

58. Wholesale Price Indexes: Various Countries

Source: *Monthly Bulletin of Statistics*, United Nations Statistical Office

The items priced and the levels at which they are priced in these indexes vary from country to country according to the purpose of the index. The indexes do not therefore measure relative prices as between countries.

Base of each Index: Year 1958 = 100

Period	Australia	Canada	France	Germany, Federal Republic	India	Japan (Tokyo)	New Zealand	Sweden	United Kingdom	U.S.A.
Year: 1958	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1959	101	101	105	99	104	101	102	100	101	100
1960	107	101	107	100	111	102	102	103	101	100
1961	103	102	110	102	113	103	102	105	100	100
1962	100	105	113	103	115	101	102	107	100	100
1963	102	107	117	104	119	103	105	110	102	100
1963: April	101	107	115	104	117	103	104	110	101	99
May	102	107	118	103	119	103		110	104	100
June	103	108	116	103	121	103		110	99	100
July	104	108	115	103	122	103	106	110	100	100
August	104	107	117	103	123	103		110	99	100
September	104	108	117	104	123	104		110	102	100
October	103	108	118	104	123	104	108	112	106	100
November	102	108	119	104	121	104		113	105	100
December	101	108	120	104	121	104		113	105	100
1964: January	102	108	120	104	123	104	108	113	106	101
February	102	108	119	104	124	104		114	106	100
March	103	108	118	104	125	104		114	105	100
April	104	108	117	105	126	103	n.y.a.	114	106	100
May	105	108	119	105	129	103		115	105	100
June	106	108	119	105	132	n.y.a.		115	106	100

59. Consumer Price Index

Notes:—

- For current statistical purposes, the Consumer Price Index replaces both the "C" Series Retail Price Index (first compiled in 1921) and the Interim Retail Price Index (constructed as a transitional index in 1954).
- The Consumer Price Index measures variations in prices of commodities and services as affecting a high proportion of the expenditure of wage earner households. Changes in the pattern of this expenditure since 1950 have been reflected in the index by the introduction of additional items and altered weighting patterns. The new index is more comprehensive than the earlier indexes.

Base of each Group Index: 1952-53 = 100.0

Quarter	Sydney						Six Capitals*
	Food	Clothing and Drapery	Housing	Household Supplies and Equipment	Miscellaneous	All Groups	All Groups
1951: June Qr.	73.9	87.0	83.3	85.3	81.9	80.7	80.7
1952: June Qr.	100.6	96.1	92.3	99.1	98.0	98.0	97.2
1953: June Qr.	100.6	102.0	104.3	100.7	100.3	101.2	101.4
1954: June Qr.	101.7	100.5	106.3	102.2	99.8	101.5	102.1
1955: June Qr.	104.9	101.3	110.6	100.5	100.0	103.0	103.6
1956: June Qr.	112.7	101.6	116.8	102.7	109.6	108.8	110.2
1957: June Qr.	112.3	105.0	123.2	108.8	121.9	113.7	113.7
1958: June Qr.	113.5	107.6	128.1	109.1	121.7	115.1	114.8
1959: June Qr.	114.3	107.2	131.5	109.3	122.2	115.8	116.8
1960: June Qr.	119.7	109.4	136.5	109.6	126.4	119.6	121.1
Sept. Qr.	122.8	109.6	138.0	110.2	126.5	120.8	122.5
Dec. Qr.	123.5	110.2	139.7	111.4	126.8	121.6	123.3
1961: Mar. Qr.	125.3	110.3	140.7	111.8	127.4	122.5	124.2
June Qr.	126.1	111.0	144.4	112.4	127.7	123.4	125.0
Sept. Qr.	124.6	111.1	145.0	113.2	127.8	123.1	124.8
Dec. Qr.	121.9	111.5	147.1	113.2	127.9	122.5	124.3
1962: Mar. Qr.	121.2	111.5	147.6	113.1	128.0	122.4	124.1
June Qr.	120.0	111.5	150.2	113.3	128.0	122.3	124.0
Sept. Qr.	120.7	111.6	151.1	113.3	128.4	122.7	124.3
Dec. Qr.	121.4	111.8	152.8	112.6	129.1	123.2	124.4
1963: Mar. Qr.	121.1	111.8	153.8	112.4	129.8	123.3	124.5
June Qr.	121.3	112.0	155.9	112.7	129.8	123.7	124.9
Sept. Qr.	121.2	112.3	157.4	111.0	130.0	123.7	125.1
Dec. Qr.	121.4	112.3	159.3	111.2	129.6	123.9	125.0
1964: Mar. Qr.	122.7	112.4	160.4	111.6	130.1	124.6	125.8
June Qr.	125.0	113.1	163.3	111.5	130.4	125.8	127.0
Sept. Qr.	127.5	113.6	165.0	110.3	133.1	127.3	128.5

* Weighted average for six Australian capital cities.

60. Basic Wages (per week) for Adult Males and Females, Sydney

Month of Change	State Awards			Commonwealth Awards			Month of Change	State Awards			Commonwealth Awards		
	Males	Females *		Males	Females			Males	Females *		Males	Females	
	s.	s.	d.	s.	s.	d.		s.	s.	d.	s.	s.	d.
1953: Aug.†	243	182	0	243	182	0	1960: Feb.	283	212	0			
1955: Nov.†	253	189	6				May	285	213	6			
1956: Feb.	255	191	0				Aug.	288	216	0			
May	256	192	0				Nov.	294	220	6			
June				253	189	6	1961: Feb.	297	222	6			
Aug.	263	197	0				May	299	224	0	295	221	0
Nov.	274	205	6				July						
1957: Feb.	270	202	6				Aug.	302	226	6			
May	268	201	0	263	197	0	Nov.	301	226	0			
Aug.	270	202	6				1962: Feb.	300	225	0			
1958: Feb.	269	201	6				Aug.	299	224	6			
May	274	205	6	268	201	0	Nov.	300	225	0			
Nov.	273	204	6				1963: Feb.	301	226	0			
1959: Feb.	275	206	0				May	302	226	6			
May	276	207	0				Aug.	303	227	6			
June				283	212	0	1964: May	305	229	0			
Aug.	277	207	6				June †	315	236	0	315	236	0
Nov.	279	209	0										

* For State Awards, the amounts shown to February, 1959 represent the basic wage together with so much of any margin and any further amount necessary to make the minimum wage payable equivalent to 75 per cent. of the basic wage for males. Following the increase in the basic wage to the 75 per cent. equivalent, the amount shown from February, 1959 is the basic wage exclusive of any margin. This change was applied in State Awards from different dates, beginning in March, 1959.

† Quarterly adjustments for movements in retail prices were discontinued in September, 1953, in both Commonwealth and State Awards. They were restored in State Awards in November, 1955, but were again discontinued from June, 1964.

61. Weighted Average Minimum Weekly Wage Rates, N.S.W.

Notes:—

- The indexes of minimum wage rate embrace a representative range of occupations and are based on the occupation and industry structures in 1954. The wage rates used in the indexes are the rates payable for a full week's work (excluding overtime), as prescribed in the relevant industrial awards, determinations, and agreements. The rural industries are excluded from the indexes.
- The money amounts shown should not be regarded as actual current averages, but as an index of changes expressed in money terms.

End of Month	Rates of Wages				Index Numbers*			
	Adult Males		Adult Females		Adult Males		Adult Females	
	Manu- facturing Groups	All Industrial Groups	Manu- facturing Groups	All Industrial Groups†	Manu- facturing Groups	All Industrial Groups	Manu- facturing Groups	All Industrial Groups†
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.				
1954: June	282 10	287 8	199 9	200 8	100.1	101.9	100.3	100.8
1955: June	292 3	298 2	200 4	203 5	103.5	105.6	100.6	102.2
1956: June	305 0	311 10	210 7	214 5	108.0	110.4	105.8	107.7
1957: June	316 5	324 0	218 0	222 10	112.0	114.7	109.5	111.9
1958: June	323 4	329 7	224 1	229 6	114.5	116.7	112.6	115.3
1959: June	333 0	338 3	237 10	244 7	117.9	119.8	119.5	122.9
1960: June	349 1	356 6	247 11	256 8	123.6	126.2	124.5	128.9
1961: June	358 0	366 11	252 1	263 9	126.8	129.9	126.6	132.5
1962: March	365 1	372 9	258 6	269 1	129.3	132.0	129.8	135.2
June	365 1	372 9	258 6	269 1	129.3	132.0	129.8	135.2
September	365 0	372 6	258 4	268 9	129.2	131.9	129.8	135.0
December	365 8	373 7	258 6	269 1	129.5	132.3	129.8	135.2
1963: March	366 3	374 5	258 11	270 0	129.7	132.6	130.1	135.6
June	371 6	380 0	261 0	272 1	131.5	134.6	131.1	136.7
September	372 3	381 2	261 5	273 7	131.8	135.0	131.3	137.4
December	372 6	382 2	261 7	274 6	131.9	135.3	131.4	137.9
1964: March	373 8	383 7	267 0	278 6	132.3	135.8	134.1	139.9
June	390 1	399 5	279 8	290 5	138.1	141.4	140.5	145.9

* Base: Weighted average for Australia in 1954 = 100.

† Excludes Mining and Quarrying, and Building and Construction.

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